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Steinert also pleaded guilty to charges of arson, and the attack on the boy.

He was sentenced to from one to fifteen years on the arson charge and to five years' imprisonment on the statutory charge.

Shortly after sentence was pronounced Steinert was led from the court room in company with several patrolmen and detectives.

Near one of the doors stood Mrs. Nora Tolzmann, mother of the slain boy.

As Steinert neared her she made a lunge forward and grabbed him by the throat.

As Mrs. Tolzmann grabbed Steinert by the throat, her little daughter, Gladys, 5, who stood at her side jumped to the assistance of her mother and struck at the prisoner with her little hand. "Let me help you mother," she cried, as tears streamed down her cheeks.

"Let me at him," she screamed as detectives pulled her back and hurried the prisoner away.

"Oh God, let me at him, he killed my little boy."

Screaming at the top of her voice and fighting with detectives to break away, Mrs. Tolzmann finally became hysterical and fainted. She was taken to one of the court chambers and revived.

In pronouncing sentence on the other two charges, the judge made it known that in the event Steinert is ever paroled on the life sentence he is to serve the other two sentences consecutively.

FRENCH REPORTS IN GERMANY SAY CONGRESS HIT DRYS

Berlin, Dec. 19—(UP)—Germans on their way to work today found their morning papers jubilantly proclaiming that the American congress had abolished prohibition.

The dispatches, which bore sensational headlines, were sent from Paris.

The press pointed out gleefully that if the report were correct chances of prohibition throughout Europe had received a severe setback.

TRUCK MEN OF SIX STATES IN CONFERENCE

PLAN TO FOSTER INTERSTATE TRUCK BUSINESS

SEEK ELIMINATION OF LICENSE LAWS AFFECTING COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—Plans to foster interstate truck business were laid by officials of six states here today.

First steps will be to ask state legislatures to eliminate license laws affecting commercial vehicles.

Under existing laws trucks must bear licenses of all states in which they operate. Farmers living near state lines and operating their own market trucks have been handicapped, it was pointed out.

Secretaries of state of South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Wyoming adopted resolutions favoring more lenient tax laws late Friday and these will be forwarded to legislatures which meet next year. It was recommended that commercial cars be permitted to enter adjoining states without buying additional license.

In the case of trucks operating over fixed routes in more than one state the officials urged no change. These should be required to pay licenses to the states in which they operate regularly on schedule.

HOPED TO REVIVE THIRD PARTY IN NORTH DAKOTA

HELPED LA FOLLETTE IN THE LAST NATIONAL ELECTION

FARMER-LABOR PARTY ORGANIZATION TAKES SHAPE TODAY

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 19—Hoping to revive the third party which helped the late Senator Robert M. LaFollette in the last national election, a farmer-labor party organization took shape here today.

Proponents of the North Dakota third party hope the movement will become national in scope. State and national platforms were adopted.

A ticket will be placed in the field in the June primary and November election in North Dakota. Leaders of the third party movement from adjoining states conferred with North Dakotans at the close of the organization meeting last night.

William Lemke inspired the third party meeting but almost lost control of the situation when opponents packed the hall.

MOVIE STAR BACK ON FARM

BELLE BENNETT GETS A REAL THRILL AT MILACA, MINN.

Milaca, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—What is like in Hollywood compared with fun on the farm?

So queried Belle Bennett of movie fame today. The star of "Stella Dallas" is here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Blackburn.

On the old hill out on the farm where as a youngster she coasted with chums, Belle Bennett got a real thrill out of a toboggan slide. Not since she grew up and went on the stage and into the movies has she had so much fun, she said.

Regretfully, she will leave Monday.

SACRAMENTAL WINE DEAL IS GIVEN AIRING

GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO IMPLICATE MAJOR PERCY OWEN

CLAIM HE RECEIVED TOTAL OF $20,000 AS SHARE IN DEAL

Chicago, Dec. 19.—(UP) — The government will seek to prove that Major Percy Owen, former federal prohibition director of this district, received a total of $200,000 as his share in a sacramental wine deal, federal officials made known today.

Major Owens, Ralph W. Stone, also a former prohibition director of this area, former State Senator Geo. Bruce and six others were named in new indictments returned late yesterday in connection with the wine deal. Specifically the government charges Owen with receiving $60,000 from wine dealers to permit them to operate. Federal agents charge that Owen pocketed fully $200,000 during his regime.

Stone received at least $26,800, the agents charge, while Bruce collected $7,800, it is charged. Others named in the indictments are Bernard Rumps, Albert Bennett, former dry agents, Harry R. Schau, alleged to have been "graft man" for Owen, Louis Abelson and Louis Cribari, collectors, and Morrie Zimbroff, a wine dealer.

The men are charged with selling wine illegally, with transporting wine and with accepting bribes.

There are 49 counts against the men. Owen was indicted several months ago in connection with the same conspiracy, but the new action makes many additional charges.

The federal grand jury also indicted the Erie railroad, the police chief of Summit, Ill., and nine others on charges of violating the dry law in connection with a beer shipment from Sayre, Pa., to Argo, Ill.

Summons was issued for F. G. Robbins, president of the Erie, to testify in the case.

An agent of the Erie at Waverly, N. Y., and an agent of the Pennsylvania railroad at Sayre, Pa., also were named in the indictments.

It is charged that the Erie, the two agents, the police chief and the others, former policemen of Chicago, bootleggers and truck drivers, conspired to transport beer to Chicago in violation of the dry act.

IDENTIFIED AS BANDITS WORKING IN SUPERIOR, WIS.

Superior, Wis., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Louis Miller, 35, and Charles Bennett, 35, have been identified by Superior police as two bandits who figured in several recent crimes here. Miller is believed by police to have a prison record and Bennett has confessed to having deserted from the army at Fort Sneling last August.

CHINOOK WIND FANS NORTHWEST

St. Paul, Dec. 19. — (UP)—Cold weather faded before a chinook wind in the northwest today.

From Montana came reports of spring flowers putting forth buds. North Dakota revelled in mild temperatures and what little snow had fallen had mostly disappeared.

In the twin cities the mercury rose rapidly toward the thawing point from Friday's early minimum of 6 above zero.

CONFESSED PERJURERS RECEIVE SENTENCES

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Harold B. Gadbois and Harry Kaufman, confessed perjurers in the trials of Ben and Abe Gleeman for murder, were sentenced today to indeterminate prison terms with two years minimum. A stay of sentence was granted to allow them to remain here over the holidays although they will not be released from county jail. They persisted in contradicting each other as Judge H. O. Hanft passed sentence.

FRENCH OFFENSIVE REVIVES ON THE MOROCCAN FRONT

Paris, Dec. 19.—(UP)—A resumption of the French offensive along the entire Moroccan front has followed cessation of winter rainstorms, the foreign office announced today. Severe fighting around the Kiffane region in which a force of several thousand French troops advanced 20 kilometers driving out Riffians who were building a post at Jedda was reported.

EXPLOSION SHAKES ENGLISH MINE, 6 TRAPPED

London, Dec. 19—(UP)—When an explosion shook the Birchingwood colliery last night, 370 miners made their way to safety, according to reports from the coal region. Six miners still are entrapped, the dispatches added, and it is feared that they have scant chance of life.

Four rescue parties worked throughout the night fighting fire which followed the explosion. The entombed men are reported almost a mile away from the opening of the shaft.

169 MORE STOP CROSSINGS NAMED

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—One hundred sixty-nine more stop crossings in the state were designated today by F. W. Matson, railroad and warehouse commissioner. Today's additions bring the total of stop crossings orderer to 715. The orders are for 64 on the Omaha, 37 on the Rock Island and 68 on the Chicago and Northwestern.

COMMITTED SERIOUS CRIME AGAINST YOUNG GIRL; GETS 10 YEARS

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Not more than ten years in Stillwater prison was the indeterminate sentence meted out to James Woods, 20, of Ellsberg, Minn., found guilty of committing a serious crime against a young girl. Woods was arrested at Hibbing recently. Judge Kenny passed sentence in district court.

PLANE CRASH BREAKS BACK OF AVIATOR

Zanesville, Ohio, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Sergeant Lawrence Stipe, Saginaw, Mich., was probably fatally injured and Lieut. James Hewings Boston, Mass., was seriously injured when their plane, en route from Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Marpland, to McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, crashed five miles west of here today. Stipe's back was broken.

80 Year Mother Bails Out Son

Fergus Falls, Minn.—An 80 year old mother came here from Alexandria to bail out her son, Oscar Check, charged with larceny and liquor selling. Upon release he was immediately rearrested for selling liquor in Alexandria.

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Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 19.—(UP) The twenty-three persons convicted in federal court here late yesterday of conspiracy to violate the federal prohibition laws in connection with the substitution of water for whiskey in the Jack Daniel distillery at St. Louis, will know their fate on Dec. 30, Judge Robert Baltzell who hear the case, said today.

Some of the defendants are planning to appeal the case, it was understood.

Arnold J. Hellmich, former collector of internal revenue for the eastern district of Missouri, refused to comment on the sentence, but Michael Whalen, democratic politician of St. Louis, who was among those convicted, declared "it has been a fair and impartial trial."

Mrs. John Marcus, wife of "Jew John" Marcus, one of the defendants and who also is under indictment in Toledo for murder, almost collapsed when the jury returned its verdict.

She leaned against the wall of the court room and moaned "What will I do? I have no place to go and all I loved in the world was John." Mrs. Marcus saw her husband handcuffed and led away to jail. He will be taken to Toledo to answer to a charge of murder as soon as sentence is passed by Judge Baltzell, it is said.

Thirty-nine persons were indicted by the federal grand jury here some time ago but when the case was called for trial, three entered pleas of guilty.

The other men will be tried at a later date, Judge Baltzell announced today.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE TO NAME SUCH COMMITTEES

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Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 19. — (UP)—County officials throughout the state of Minnesota are henceforth to be watched by secret committees appointed by the Anti-Saloon League whose business it will be to see that the local authorities are doing their duty in enforcement of the prohibition law, Twin Cities headquarters of the league announced today.

The committees will be composed of from one to 25 persons in each voting precinct of the state. The organization, according to announcement, "does not intend to enter partisan politics," but through these committees to support for re-election candidates, whatever their party, who have made efforts at prohibition enforcement.

Rev. F. L. Watkins, head of the newly organized investigation bureau of the league, will have charge of organizing the secret committees. His work of making beginnings in the system was started today. Names of the committee system follows the announcement last week that sheriffs and county attorneys in four Minnesota counties will be objects of malfeasance and nonfeasance in office proceedings brought by the league. These charges are withheld, however, pending outcome of what is considered a test case. It is that of J. A. Lee, Swift county attorney, to hear charges against whom a referee has been appointed by the governor.

CLAIM TOURISTS SPEND $6,000,000 IN DULUTH IN 1925

Duluth, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Tourists spent nearly $6,000,000 in Duluth during the last season statisticians of the Duluth Chamber of Commerce estimated.

Figures of the chamber indicate 400,000 tourists visited Duluth during the season. Business firms were advised to anticipate a tourist and convention business for 1926 that will double the past year in volume.

BORN DEAF, BUT ENJOYS RADIO MUSIC

Carrington, N. D., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Although born deaf, John Munsch, 40, enjoys radio music.

Mrs. Peter Jenssen, a sister, with whom Munsch lives at Edmunds, near here, says her brother "listens in" regularly by pressing his finer tips to the dial of a receiving set. Pronounced static, she says, makes him wince.

In addition to total deafness, Munsch has poor eyesight and has developed his sense of touch to a high degree of responsiveness.

Abe Ginsberg, Attorney, Is Arraigned in St. Paul

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Demurrer to the two indictments against Abe Ginsberg, charging him with subornation of perjury in the Gleeman trial, was filed when Ginsberg was arraigned before District Judge H. O. Hanft today.

The demurrer was filed after the three original indictments were nolled upon motion by O. T. Blanchard, assistant county attorney. An error was made in these indictments and new ones were returned by the grand jury Dec. 3.

In order to obtain his release on bond Ginsberg pleaded not guilty to the two indictments but reserved the right to withdraw his plea in case the demurrer is upheld. He was released on bond of $15,000.

CRUDE RUBBER PRICE MANIPULATION TO BE INVESTIGATED

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Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 19.—Jack Steinert, 26, confessed slayer of Roy Tolzmann, 8 years old, was today sentenced to life imprisonment when he pleaded guilty to a charge of first degree murder in municipal court here. Judge George Shaughnessy pronounced sentence after hearing his plea.

Steinert also pleaded guilty to charges of arson, and the attack on the boy.

He was sentenced to from one to fifteen years on the arson charge and to five years' imprisonment on the statutory charge.

Shortly after sentence was pronounced Steinert was led from the court room in company with several patrolmen and detectives.

Near one of the doors stood Mrs. Nora Tolzmann, mother of the slain boy.

As Steinert neared her she made a lunge forward and grabbed him by the throat.

As Mrs. Tolzmann grabbed Steinert by the throat, her little daughter, Gladys, 5, who stood at her side jumped to the assistance of her mother and struck at the prisoner with her little hand. "Let me help you mother," she cried, as tears streamed down her cheeks.

"Let me at him," she screamed as detectives pulled her back and hurried the prisoner away.

"Oh God, let me at him, he killed my little boy."

Screaming at the top of her voice and fighting with detectives to break away, Mrs. Tolzmann finally became hysterical and fainted. She was taken to one of the court chambers and revived.

In pronouncing sentence on the other two charges, the judge made it known that in the event Steinert is ever paroled on the life sentence he is to serve the other two sentences consecutively.

FRENCH REPORTS IN GERMANY SAY CONGRESS HIT DRYS

Berlin, Dec. 19—(UP)—Germans on their way to work today found their morning papers jubilantly proclaiming that the American congress had abolished prohibition.

The dispatches, which bore sensational headlines, were sent from Paris.

The press pointed out gleefully that if the report were correct chances of prohibition throughout Europe had received a severe setback.

TRUCK MEN OF SIX STATES IN CONFERENCE

PLAN TO FOSTER INTERSTATE TRUCK BUSINESS

SEEK ELIMINATION OF LICENSE LAWS AFFECTING COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—Plans to foster interstate truck business were laid by officials of six states here today.

First steps will be to ask state legislatures to eliminate license laws affecting commercial vehicles.

Under existing laws trucks must bear licenses of all states in which they operate. Farmers living near state lines and operating their own market trucks have been handicapped, it was pointed out.

Secretaries of state of South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Wyoming adopted resolutions favoring more lenient tax laws late Friday and these will be forwarded to legislatures which meet next year. It was recommended that commercial cars be permitted to enter adjoining states without buying additional license.

In the case of trucks operating over fixed routes in more than one state the officials urged no change. These should be required to pay licenses to the states in which they operate regularly on schedule.

HOPED TO REVIVE THIRD PARTY IN NORTH DAKOTA

HELPED LA FOLLETTE IN THE LAST NATIONAL ELECTION

FARMER-LABOR PARTY ORGANIZATION TAKES SHAPE TODAY

Bismarck, N. D., Dec. 19—Hoping to revive the third party which helped the late Senator Robert M. LaFollette in the last national election, a farmer-labor party organization took shape here today.

Proponents of the North Dakota third party hope the movement will become national in scope. State and national platforms were adopted.

A ticket will be placed in the field in the June primary and November election in North Dakota. Leaders of the third party movement from adjoining states conferred with North Dakotans at the close of the organization meeting last night.

William Lemke inspired the third party meeting but almost lost control of the situation when opponents packed the hall.

MOVIE STAR BACK ON FARM

BELLE BENNETT GETS A REAL THRILL AT MILACA, MINN.

Milaca, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—What is life in Hollywood compared with fun on the farm?

So queried Belle Bennett of movie fame today. The star of "Stella Dallas" is here visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Blackburn.

On the old hill out on the farm where as a youngster she coasted with chums, Belle Bennett got a real thrill out of a toboggan slide. Not since she grew up and went on the stage and into the movies has she had so much fun, she said.

Regretfully, she will leave Monday.

SACRAMENTAL WINE DEAL IS GIVEN AIRING

GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO IMPLICATE MAJOR PERCY OWEN

CLAIM HE RECEIVED TOTAL OF $20,000 AS SHARE IN DEAL

Chicago, Dec. 19.—(UP) — The government will seek to prove that Major Percy Owen, former federal prohibition director of this district, received a total of $200,000 as his share in a sacramental wine deal, federal officials made known today.

Major Owens, Ralph W. Stone, also a former prohibition director of this area, former State Senator Geo. Bruce and six others were named in new indictments returned late yesterday in connection with the wine deal. Specifically the government charges Owen with receiving $60,000 from wine dealers to permit them to operate. Federal agents charge that Owen pocketed fully $200,000 during his regime.

Stone received at least $26,800, the agents charge, while Bruce collected $7,800, it is charged. Others named in the indictments are Bernard Rumps, Albert Bennett, former dry agents, Harry R. Schau, alleged to have been "graft man" for Owen, Louis Abelson and Louis Cribari, collectors, and Morrie Zimbroff, a wine dealer.

The men are charged with selling wine illegally, with transporting wine and with accepting bribes.

There are 49 counts against the men. Owen was indicted several months ago in connection with the same conspiracy, but the new action makes many additional charges.

The federal grand jury also indicted the Erie railroad, the police chief of Summit, Ill., and nine others on charges of violating the dry law in connection with a beer shipment from Sayre, Pa., to Argo, Ill.

Summons was issued for F. G. Robbins, president of the Erie, to testify in the case.

An agent of the Erie at Waverly, N. Y., and an agent of the Pennsylvania railroad at Sayre, Pa., also were named in the indictments.

It is charged that the Erie, the two agents, the police chief and the others, former policemen of Chicago, bootleggers and truck drivers, conspired to transport beer to Chicago in violation of the dry act.

IDENTIFIED AS BANDITS WORKING IN SUPERIOR, WIS.

Superior, Wis., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Louis Miller, 35, and Charles Bennett, 35, have been identified by Superior police as two bandits who figured in several recent crimes here. Miller is believed by police to have a prison record and Bennett has confessed to having deserted from the army at Fort Sneling last August.

CHINOOK WIND FANS NORTHWEST

St. Paul, Dec. 19. — (UP)—Cold weather faded before a chinook wind in the northwest today.

From Montana came reports of spring flowers putting forth buds. North Dakota revelled in mild temperatures and what little snow had fallen had mostly disappeared.

In the twin cities the mercury rose rapidly toward the thawing point from Friday's early minimum of 6 above zero.

CONFESSED PERJURERS RECEIVE SENTENCES

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Harold B. Gadbois and Harry Kaufman, confessed perjurers in the trials of Ben and Abe Gleeman for murder, were sentenced today to indeterminate prison terms with two years minimum. A stay of sentence was granted to allow them to remain here over the holidays although they will not be released from county jail. They persisted in contradicting each other as Judge H. O. Hanft passed sentence.

FRENCH OFFENSIVE REVIVES ON THE MOROCCAN FRONT

Paris, Dec. 19.—(UP)—A resumption of the French offensive along the entire Moroccan front has followed cessation of winter rainstorms, the foreign office announced today. Severe fighting around the Kiffane region in which a force of several thousand French troops advanced 20 kilometers driving out Riffians who were building a post at Jedda was reported.

EXPLOSION SHAKES ENGLISH MINE, 6 TRAPPED

London, Dec. 19—(UP)—When an explosion shook the Birchingwood colliery last night, 370 miners made their way to safety, according to reports from the coal region. Six miners still are entrapped, the dispatches added, and it is feared that they have scant chance of life.

Four rescue parties worked throughout the night fighting fire which followed the explosion. The entombed men are reported almost a mile away from the opening of the shaft.

169 MORE STOP CROSSINGS NAMED

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—One hundred sixty-nine more stop crossings in the state were designated today by F. W. Matson, railroad and warehouse commissioner. Today's additions bring the total of stop crossings orderer to 715. The orders are for 64 on the Omaha, 37 on the Rock Island and 68 on the Chicago and Northwestern.

COMMITTED SERIOUS CRIME AGAINST YOUNG GIRL; GETS 10 YEARS

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Not more than ten years in Stillwater prison was the indeterminate sentence meted out to James Woods, 20, of Ellsberg, Minn., found guilty of committing a serious crime against a young girl. Woods was arrested at Hibbing recently. Judge Kenny passed sentence in district court.

PLANE CRASH BREAKS BACK OF AVIATOR

Zanesville, Ohio, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Sergeant Lawrence Stipe, Saginaw, Mich., was probably fatally injured and Lieut. James Hewings Boston, Mass., was seriously injured when their plane, en route from Phillips Field, Aberdeen, Marpland, to McCook Field, Dayton, Ohio, crashed five miles west of here today. Stipe's back was broken.

80 Year Mother Bails Out Son

Fergus Falls, Minn.—An 80 year old mother came here from Alexandria to bail out her son, Oscar Check, charged with larceny and liquor selling. Upon release he was immediately rearrested for selling liquor in Alexandria.

23 CONVICTED IN CONSPIRACY TO KNOW FATE

CHARGED WITH SUBSTITUTION OF WATER FOR WHISKEY

SOME OF THE DEFENDANTS ARE PLANNING TO APPEAL THE CASE

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 19.—(UP) The twenty-three persons convicted in federal court here late yesterday of conspiracy to violate the federal prohibition laws in connection with the substitution of water for whiskey in the Jack Daniel distillery at St. Louis, will know their fate on Dec. 30, Judge Robert Baltzell who hear the case, said today.

Some of the defendants are planning to appeal the case, it was understood.

Arnold J. Hellmich, former collector of internal revenue for the eastern district of Missouri, refused to comment on the sentence, but Michael Whalen, democratic politician of St. Louis, who was among those convicted, declared "it has been a fair and impartial trial."

Mrs. John Marcus, wife of "Jew John" Marcus, one of the defendants and who also is under indictment in Toledo for murder, almost collapsed when the jury returned its verdict.

She leaned against the wall of the court room and moaned "What will I do? I have no place to go and all I loved in the world was John." Mrs. Marcus saw her husband handcuffed and led away to jail. He will be taken to Toledo to answer to a charge of murder as soon as sentence is passed by Judge Baltzell, it is said.

Thirty-nine persons were indicted by the federal grand jury here some time ago but when the case was called for trial, three entered pleas of guilty.

The other men will be tried at a later date, Judge Baltzell announced today.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE TO NAME SUCH COMMITTEES

TO SEE THAT LOCAL AUTHORITIES ENFORCE PROHIBITION LAWS

1 TO 25 PERSONS ON COMMITTEES IN EACH VOTING PRECINCT OF MINNESOTA

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 19. — (UP)—County officials throughout the state of Minnesota 'are henceforth to be watched by secret committees appointed by the Anti-Saloon League whose business it will be to see that the local authorities are doing their duty in enforcement of the prohibition law, Twin Cities headquarters of the league announced today.

The committees will be composed of from one to 25 persons in each voting precinct of the state. The organization, according to announcement, "does not intend to enter partisan politics," but through these committees to support for re-election candidates, whatever their party, who have made efforts at prohibition enforcement.

Rev. F. L. Watkins, head of the newly organized investigation bureau of the league, will have charge of organizing the secret committees. His work of making beginnings in the system was started today. Names of the committee system follows the announcement last week that sheriffs and county attorneys in four Minnesota counties will be objects of malfeasance and nonfeasance in office proceedings brought by the league. These charges are withheld, however, pending outcome of what is considered a test case. It is that of J. A. Lee, Swift county attorney, to hear charges against whom a referee has been appointed by the governor.

CLAIM TOURISTS SPEND $6,000,000 IN DULUTH IN 1925

Duluth, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Tourists spent nearly $6,000,000 in Duluth during the last season statisticians of the Duluth Chamber of Commerce estimated.

Figures of the chamber indicate 400,000 tourists visited Duluth during the season. Business firms were advised to anticipate a tourist and convention business for 1926 that will double the past year in volume.

BORN DEAF, BUT ENJOYS RADIO MUSIC

Carrington, N. D., Dec. 19.—(UP)—Although born deaf, John Munsch, 40, enjoys radio music.

Mrs. Peter Jenssen, a sister, with whom Munsch lives at Edmunds, near here, says her brother "listens in" regularly by pressing his finer tips to the dial of a receiving set. Pronounced static, she says, makes him wince.

In addition to total deafness, Munsch has poor eyesight and has developed his sense of touch to a high degree of responsiveness.

Abe Ginsberg, Attorney, Is Arraigned in St. Paul

St. Paul, Dec. 19.—(UP)—Demurrer to the two indictments against Abe Ginsberg, charging him with subornation of perjury in the Gleeman trial, was filed when Ginsberg was arraigned before District Judge H. O. Hanft today.

The demurrer was filed after the three original indictments were nolled upon motion by O. T. Blanchard, assistant county attorney. An error was made in these indictments and new ones were returned by the grand jury Dec. 3.

In order to obtain his release on bond Ginsberg pleaded not guilty to the two indictments but reserved the right to withdraw his plea in case the demurrer is upheld. He was released on bond of $15,000.

CRUDE RUBBER PRICE MANIPULATION TO BE INVESTIGATED

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Tilson resolution for an investigation into alleged manipulation of the crude rubber prices by British colonial government was ordered reported to the house today by the rules committee. The committee agreed unanimously to the action.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Items for this column will be gladly received. Telephone 74

WEATHER FOR WEEK

Washington, Dc. 19.—Weather outlook for period Dec. 21 to 26 inclusive:

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys—Fair at the beginning of the week and snows over North and snows or rains over south portion about Wednesday or Thursday, cold much of week.

Minnesota — Unsettled tonight and Sunday, snow probable in south and central portions; colder in west-central portion tonight and in south and central portions Sunday.

Dec. 18.—In evening 20.

Dec. 19. — Maximum 20, minimum 18. Cloudy. Northwest wind.

George Molstad is home for the holidays.

C. L. Burnett left this afternoon for Minneapolis.

Let us suggest William Jennings Bryan's life as a Christmas gift this year. Just off the press. Brainerd Office Supply. 168t3

Alfred Zahn left today for Minneapolis to visit over Sunday.

Home Made Candies that are good at Hohman's, 214 S. 6th St. 1t

O. W. Swanson left today for Minneapolis to visit friends over Sunday.

VAUDEVILLE — Every Tuesday night at the New Park, 5 big acts and feature picture. 151tf

Miss Marion O'Brien returned today from a week's visit in Minneapolis.

"The Pony Express will arrive Christmas at the New Park. 164t6

William Cleary is home for the holidays from St. John's, where he is a student.

Plants and Cut Flowers at Hohman's. Choice package candies. 1t

W. R. Arthur went to Minneapolis this afternoon to spend Sunday with his family.

To keep your baby in good health use a Fairbank double beam scale. For sale or rent. Gruenhagen Co., Implement department. 165t3tws

Mr. and Mrs. James McPherson and daughters Marie and Grace left today for Minneapolis for a week end visit.

Two "Dicks" in town tonight, Dick Barthelmess at the Park and Dick Talmadge at the Lyceum. 1t

Miss Mabel McKay, who is teaching near Aitkin, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Oak Lawn.

The Brainerd Commercial college closed Friday, Dec. 18, for a week's Christmas vacation. It will reopen Monday, Dec. 28.

Dick Barthelmess and Dorothy MacKaill are great in "Shore Leave" New Park tonight, don't miss this one. 168t2

Virgil Quanstrom arrived home last evening from the University of Minnesota, to spend the holidays with his parents.

Albert Rathert and Carl Anderson, students at the University of Minnesota, arrived home last night for the holidays.

GIRLS! Wait till you see Ben Lyon in "The One Way Street" at Lyceum Sunday. Some lover! 1t

Clayton Mayo, student at the University of Minnesota, is expected to arrive home tomorrow to spend the holidays with his parents.

Choice apples, $1.50 per basket; juicy oranges, 25c and 40c per dozen. O'Brien Mercantile Company. 167t3

Ortwin Schaumberg, teacher in Brainerd high school, left this morning for his home at Lester Prairie, where he will spend the holidays.

Walter Engbretson arrived home last night from Hamline university, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Engbretson.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

Girls Game—8 O'clock

Ladies' Band Music

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Referee—Rev. J. H. Bollens.

Admission—25 cents and 10 cents

1t

Miss Millie Vanasek, teacher in the Harrison school, left this morning for Minneapolis, where she will spend the holiday season with her sister.

Midwinter term at the Brainerd Commercial College starts Dec. 28 and Jan. 4. See us now about enrolling. 162tf

Two Chevrolet coupes bumped last night at the Front and Sixth street intersection. One had an axle twisted, while the other sustained a smashed running board.

Nearly four hundred satisfied Maytag owners. See the Maytag washer at Brainerd Electric Co., 306 S. 6th street. 161tf

For Christmas you should have some good wholesome Home Made Candies, we are pulling taffy for you day and night and hope to have some on hand at all times at Hohman's. 1t

Miss Margaret Anderson will arrive home today from Minneapolis where she is attending school, and will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson.

Watch for the big Christmas bill of vaudeville at the Nw Park Tuesday. It's going to be a humdinger! 1t

Bemidji high school defeated the Crosby-Ironton quint last night at the Crosby-Ironton gymnasium, by a score of 27-10. Last week Bemidji nosed out Brainerd by a one point margin.

A Maytag for Christmas and many happy years. Brainerd Electric Co., 306 S. 6th street. 161tf

Miss Marion Opsahl arrived in Brainerd today from Eveleth, where she is music supervisor in the schools She will spend the Christmas season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Opsahl.

Rev. R. E. Cody returned to Brainerd last night from Duluth.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 19
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168t2

Wendell Anderson, of 523 "D" street N. E., was a passenger for Minneapolis this morning. He intends to visit Joe Stien, who is attending school in the cities, over the week end.

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Gus Carlson of McCarthy, Alaska, is visiting at the homes of C. O. Beck and Andrew Anderson. Mr. Carlson is a nephew of C. O. Beck and a cousin of Mrs. Andrew Anderson and Jennie Beck.

Chicken dinner, 65c, Sunday, at the Ideal Hotel, served from 6 to 8 p. m. 1t

Miss Rosa Anderson, manager of the Brainerd Commercial college, left today for Solway where she will spend Christmas vacation. Her sister, Lenore, who is attending college here accompanied her.

Fairbank double beam infant scale will bring health to your baby. For sale or rent. Gruenhagen Company, Implement department. 165t3tws

Miss Ruth Gustafson, who is teaching at Moline, Ill., and Clifford Gustafson, student at the university, arrived in Brainerd this afternoon to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gustafson.

Commencing Monday Dec. 21st. The stores will remain open until 9 p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, closing at 6 o'clock Thursday Dec. 24th as usual. Business Mens Association & Clerks Union. 169t4

The holiday season is seeing a great exodus of school teachers, leaving for their homes out of the city. Many of them left today following the closing of the schools yesterday. Miss Frances Pinneo went to her home at Clearwater. Miss Clara Devens is pending the holidays at her home in St. James. Miss Viola Varner is in St. Cloud. Miss Sue Schow left for Minneapolis. Miss Myrtle Olson is at her home in Gleawood. Miss Dale Hunting journeyed to Cresco, Ia., for the vacation period Miss Marie Christianson went to Marshall. Miss Lois Swanberg is in Stillwater, and Miss Irene Foster went to Osakis.

Mrs. Fred Richter of Crosby returned to her home after spending a day visiting in Brainerd.

Miss Elsie Schwartzkopf, who is a teacher in the Duluth schools, returned to Brainerd yesterday to spend the holidays.

Miss Alice R. Johnstone, violin student at the Chicago Conservatory of Music, arrived home last night to spend Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth R. Johnstone who is attending the Carlton college at Northfield will arrive tonight to spend the Christmas with her parents.

F. M. Andrews left today for Chicago, where he will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives. Mrs. Andrews has been there since Thanksgiving. During the week from Christmas to New Year's day Mr. Andrews will be at the head office of Marshall Field company, for whom he travels. They expect to return to their home at 218 Chippewa the early part of January.

Said He Robbed 17 Homes

Minneapolis—Police obtained yesterday an admission from Milton Dean that he had robbed 17 homes of $10,000. Six persons identified their goods found in his room.

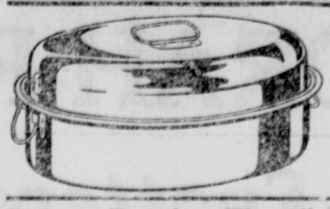
Canning Company Prosperous

Le Sueur, Minn.—The Minnesota Valley Canning Company filed amendments in its articles of incorporation yesterday. Capital stock is increased from $350,000 to $1, 745, 433.

Inquest Postponed

Renville, Minn. — The inquest of the Milwaukee road wreck near here November 15 has again been postponed until January 4. Engineer Bucklin injured in the crash is not yet able to testify.

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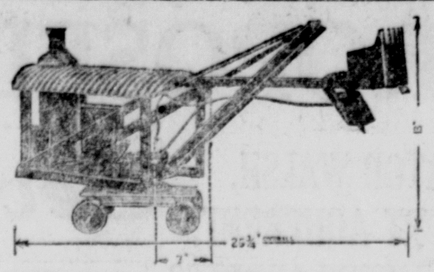


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6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.	7:30 P. M.
9:30 A. M.	8:00 A. M.	
12:30 Noon	11:00 A. M.	Eastbound Leaves Staples for Brainerd
3:30 P. M.	2:00 P. M.	8:00 A. M.
6:30 P. M.	5:00 P. M.	

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WEATHER FOR WEEK

Washington, Dc. 19.—Weather outlook for period Dec. 21 to 26 inclusive:

Upper Mississippi and lower Missouri Valleys—Fair at the beginning of the week and snows over North and snows or rains over south portion about Wednesday or Thursday, cold much of week.

Minnesota — Unsettled tonight and Sunday, snow probable in south and central portions; colder in west-central portion tonight and in south and central portions Sunday.

Dec. 18.—In evening 20.
Dec. 19. — Maximum 20, minimum 18. Cloudy. Northwest wind.

George Molstad is home for the holidays.

C. L. Burnett left this afternoon for Minneapolis.

Let us suggest William Jennings Bryan's life as a Christmas gift this year. Just off the press. Brainerd Office Supply. 168t3

Alfred Zahn left today for Minneapolis to visit over Sunday.

Home Made Candies that are good at Hohman's, 214 S. 6th St. 1t

O. W. Swanson left today for Minneapolis to visit friends over Sunday.

VAUDEVILLE — Every Tuesday night at the New Park, 5 big acts and feature picture. 151tf

Miss Marion O'Brien returned today from a week's visit in Minneapolis.

"The Pony Express will arrive Christmas at the New Park. 164t6

William Cleary is home for the holidays from St. John's, where he is a student.

Plants and Cut Flowers at Hohman's. Choice package candies. 1t

W. R. Arthur went to Minneapolis this afternoon to spend Sunday with his family.

To keep your baby in good health use a Fairbank double beam scale. For sale or rent. Gruenhagen Co., Implement department. 165t3tws

Mr. and Mrs. James McPherson and daughters Marie and Grace left today for Minneapolis for a week end visit.

Two "Dicks" in town tonight, Dick Barthelmess at the Park and Dick Talmadge at the Lyceum. 1t

Miss Mabel McKay, who is teaching near Aitkin, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Oak Lawn.

The Brainerd Commercial college closed Friday, Dec. 18, for a week's Christmas vacation. It will reopen Monday, Dec. 28.

Dick Barthelmess and Dorothy MacKaill are great in "Shore Leave" New Park tonight, don't miss this one. 168t2

Virgil Quanstrom arrived home last evening from the University of Minnesota, to spend the holidays with his parents.

Albert Rathert and Carl Anderson, students at the University of Minnesota, arrived home last night for the holidays.

GIRLS! Wait till you see Ben Lyon in "The One Way Street" at Lyceum Sunday. Some lover! 1t

Clayton Mayo, student at the University of Minnesota, is expected to arrive home tomorrow to spend the holidays with his parents.

Choice apples, $1.50 per basket; juicy oranges, 25c and 40c per dozen. O'Brien Mercantile Company. 167t3

Ortwin Schaumberg, teacher in Brainerd high school, left this morning for his home at Lester Prairie, where he will spend the holidays.

Walter Engbretson arrived home last night from Hamline university, to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Engbretson.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT

Girls Game—8 O'clock

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1t

Miss Millie Vanasek, teacher in the Harrison school, left this morning for Minneapolis, where she will spend the holiday season with her sister.

Midwinter term at the Brainerd Commercial College starts Dec. 28 and Jan. 4. See us now about enrolling. 162tf

Two Chevrolet coupes bumped last night at the Front and Sixth street intersection. One had an axle twisted, while the other sustained a smashed running board.

Nearly four hundred satisfied Maytag owners. See the Maytag washer at Brainerd Electric Co., 306 S. 6th street. 161tf

For Christmas you should have some good wholesome Home Made Candies, we are pulling taffy for you day and night and hope to have some on hand at all times at Hohman's. 1t

Miss Margaret Anderson will arrive home today from Minneapolis where she is attending school, and will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson.

Watch for the big Christmas bill of vaudeville at the Nw Park Tuesday. It's going to be a humdinger! 1t

Bemidji high school defeated the Crosby-Ironton quint last night at the Crosby-Ironton gymnasium, by a score of 27-10. Last week Bemidji nosed out Brainerd by a one point margin.

A Maytag for Christmas and many happy years. Brainerd Electric Co., 306 S. 6th street. 161tf

Miss Marion Opsahl arrived in Brainerd today from Eveleth, where she is music supervisor in the schools She will spend the Christmas season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Opsahl.

Rev. R. E. Cody returned to Brainerd last night from Duluth.

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Wendell Anderson, of 523 "D" street N. E., was a passenger for Minneapolis this morning. He intends to visit Joe Stien, who is attending school in the cities, over the week end.

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Gus Carlson of McCarthy, Alaska, is visiting at the homes of C. O. Beck and Andrew Anderson. Mr. Carlson is a nephew of C. O. Beck and a cousin of Mrs. Andrew Anderson and Jennie Beck.

Chicken dinner, 65c, Sunday, at the Ideal Hotel, served from 6 to 8 p. m. 1t

Miss Rosa Anderson, manager of the Brainerd Commercial college, left today for Solway where she will spend Christmas vacation. Her sister, Lenore, who is attending college here accompanied her.

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Miss Ruth Gustafson, who is teaching at Moline, Ill., and Clifford Gustafson, student at the university, arrived in Brainerd this afternoon to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gustafson.

Commencing Monday Dec. 21st. The stores will remain open until 9 p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, closing at 6 o'clock Thursday Dec. 24th as usual. Business Mens Association & Clerks Union. 169t4

The holiday season is seeing a great exodus of school teachers, leaving for their homes out of the city. Many of them left today following the closing of the schools yesterday. Miss Frances Pinneo went to her home at Clearwater. Miss Clara Devens is pending the holidays at her home in St. James. Miss Viola Varner is in St. Cloud. Miss Sue Schow left for Minneapolis. Miss Myrtle Olson is at her home in Glenwood. Miss Dale Hunting journeyed to Cresco, Ia., for the vacation period Miss Marie Christianson went to Marshall. Miss Lois Swanberg is in Stillwater, and Miss Irene Foster went to Osakis.

Mrs. Fred Richter of Crosby returned to her home after spending a day visiting in Brainerd.

Miss Elsie Schwartzkopf, who is a teacher in the Duluth schools, returned to Brainerd yesterday to spend the holidays.

Miss Alice R. Johnstone, violin student at the Chicago Conservatory of Music, arrived home last night to spend Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth R. Johnstone who is attending the Carlton college at Northfield will arrive tonight to spend the Christmas with her parents.

F. M. Andrews left today for Chicago, where he will spend the Christmas holidays with relatives. Mrs. Andrews has been there since Thanksgiving. During the week from Christmas to New Year's day Mr. Andrews will be at the head office of Marshall Field company, for whom he travels. They expect to return to their home at 218 Chippewa the early part of January.

Said He Robbed 17 Homes

Minneapolis—Police obtained yesterday an admission from Milton Dean that he had robbed 17 homes of $10,000. Six persons identified their goods found in his room.

Canning Company Prosperous

Le Sueur, Minn.—The Minnesota Valley Canning Company filed amendments in its articles of incorporation yesterday. Capital stock is increased from $350,000 to $1, 745,433.

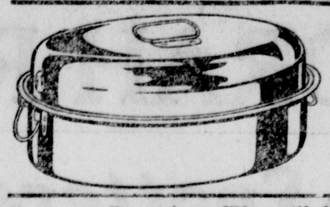
Inquest Postponed

Renville, Minn. — The inquest of the Milwaukee road wreck near here November 15 has again been postponed until January 4. Engineer Bucklin injured in the crash is not yet able to testify.

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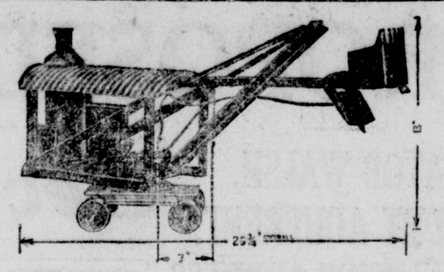


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CHAPTER XXV

"You really must do something for this boy Pierce Phillips." Mrs. Cavendish spoke with decision.

The newspaper which the colonel was reading was barely six weeks old, therefore he was deeply engrossed in it, and he looked up somewhat absentmindedly.

"Yes, yes. Of course, my dear," he murmured. "What does he want now?"

"Why, he wants his liberty! He wants this absurd charge against him dismissed! It's a shame to hold a boy of his character, his breeding, on the mere word of a man like Count Courteau."

Colonel Cavendish smiled quizzically. "You, too, eh?" said he.

"What do you mean by that?"

"Why, you're the fourth woman who has appealed to me since his arrest. I dare say I'll hear from others. I never saw a fellow who had the female vote so solidly behind him. I'm beginning to regard him as a sort of domestic menace."

"You surely don't believe him guilty?"

When her husband refused to commit himself Mrs. Cavendish exclaimed, "Rubbish!"

"First Josephine came to me," the colonel observed. "She was deeply indignant and considerably disappointed in me as a man and a father when I refused to quash the entire proceedings and apologize, on behalf of the Dominion Government, for the injury to the lad's feelings. She was actually peeved. What ails her I don't know. Then the Countess Courteau dropped in, and so did that 'lady dealer' from the Rialto. Now you take up his defense." The speaker paused thoughtfully for an instant. "It's bad enough to have the fellow hanging around our quarters at all hours, but Josephine actually suggested that we have him *dine* with us!"

"I know. She spoke of it to me. But he isn't 'hanging around at all hours.' Josephine is interested in his case, just as I am, because—"

"My dear! He's a weigher in a saloon, a gambling-house employee. D'you think it wise to raise such a dust about him? I like the boy myself—can't help liking him—but you understand what he's been doing? He's been cutting up; going the pace. I never knew you to countenance a fellow—"

"I never saw a boy toward whom I felt so—motherly," Mrs. Cavendish said, with some irrelevance. "I don't like wild young men any better than you do, but—he isn't a thief, of that I'm sure."

"Look here." Colonel Cavendish laid down his paper, and there was more gravity than usual in his tone. "I haven't told you everything, but its' evidently time I did. Phillips was mixed up with bad associates, the very worst in town—"

"So he told me."

"He couldn't have told you what I'm about to. He had a most unfortunate affair with a dance-hall girl—one that reflects no credit upon him. He was on the straight path to ruin and going at a gallop, drinking, gambling—everything."

"All the more reason for trying to save him. Remember, you were wild yourself."

"Wait! I don't say he's guilty of this charge; I want to believe him innocent—I'd like to help prove it. For that very reason it occurred to me that Laure—she's the dance-hall girl—might throw some light on the matter, so I put Rock to work on her. Well, his report wasn't pleasant. The girl talked, but what she said didn't help Phillips. She confessed that he'd been stealing right along and giving her the money."

Mrs. Cavendish was shocked, incredulous. After a moment, however, she shook her head positively and exclaimed, "I don't believe a word of it."

"She's going to swear to it."

"Her oath would be no better than her word—"

"Good Lord!" the colonel cried, testily. "Has this young imp completely hypnotized you women? The Kirby girl is frightened to death, and the Countess—well, she told me herself that her husband's jealousy was at the bottom of the whole thing. Laure, in spite of what she said to Rock, is behaving like a mad person. I dropped in at the Rialto this evening and she asked me what was the worst Pierce could expect. I made it strong, purposely, and I thought she'd faint. No, it's a nasty affair, all through. And, by Jove! to cap the climax, you and Josephine take part in it! I flatter myself that I'm democratic, but—have him here to dine! Gad! That's playing democracy pretty strong."

"It isn't fair to imply that he's nothing more than a ladies' man. They're detestable. The men like Phillips, too."

"True," Cavendish admitted. "He has the God-given faculty of making friends, and for that alone I can forgive him almost anything. It's a wonderful faculty—better than being born lucky or rich or handsome. I'm fond of him, but I've favored him all I can. If I thought Josephine were seriously interested in him—well, I wouldn't feel so friendly." The speaker laughed shortly "No. The man who claims that girl's attention must be clean through and through. He must stand the acid test."

When his wife silently approved this sentiment the colonel picked up his paper and resumed his reading.

Pierce's friends were indeed uniformly indignant, and without exception they maintained their faith in his innocence; most of them, in fact, actually applied themselves to the task of clearing him of Courteau's charge. But of the latter the one who applied herself the most thoughtfully, the most seriously, was the Countess Courteau. Having reasoned that she herself was indirectly responsible for his plight, she set about aiding him in a thoroughly feminine and indirect manner. It was an unpleasant undertaking; she took it up with intense abhorrence; it required her utmost determination to carry it on. Her plan had formed itself immediately she had learned what had happened; her meeting with the Count that evening and her unexpected solicitude, her unbidden attention to his injury, were a part of it. As time went on she assumed an air that amazed the man. She meekly accepted his reproaches, she submitted to his abuse; cautiously, patiently she paved the way to a reconciliation.

It was by no means easy, for she and Henri had long lived in what was little better than a state of open hostility, and she had been at no pains to conceal the utter disregard and contempt she felt for him. He, of course, had resented it; her change of demeanor now awoke his suspicion. He was a vain and shallow person, however; his conceit was thoroughly Latin, and Hilda's perseverance was in a way rewarded. Slowly, grudgingly he gave ground before her subtle advances—they were, in fact, less advances on her part than opportunities for him—he experienced a feeling of triumph and began to assume a masterful air that was indeed trying to one of her disposition. Before his friends he boasted that his energetic defense of his honor had worked a marvel in his home; in her presence he made bold to take on a swagger and an authority hitherto unknown.

Hilda stood it, with what cost no one could possibly understand. In some manner she managed to convey the idea that he dominated her and that she cringed spiritually before him. She permitted him occasionally to surprise a look of bewilderment, almost of fright, in her eyes, and this tickled the man immensely. With a fatuous complacency, thoroughly typical, he told himself that she feared and respected him—was actually falling in love with him all over again. When he felt the impulse to scout this idea he went to his mirror and examined himself critically. Why not? he asked himself. He was very pleasing. Women had always been wax in his hands; he had a personality, an air, an irresistible something that had won him many conquests. It seemed not unlikely that Hilda had been shocked into a new and keener realization of his many admirable qualities and was ready to make up, if, or when, he graciously chose to permit her.

On the very evening that Colonel Cavendish and his wife were discussing Pierce Phillips' affair, Courteau, feeling in a particularly jubilant mood, decided to put the matter to a test; therefore he surprised his wife by walking into her room unannounced.

"My dear," he began, "it's high time we had a talk."

"Indeed!" said she. "What about?"

"About you, about me, about our affairs. Are we husband and wife or are we not? I ask you."

With a queer flicker of her eyelids she answered: "Why—of course. You have appeared to forget it sometimes, but—"

"No reproaches, please. The past is gone. Neither of us is without blame. You've had your fling, too, but I've shown you that I'm made of stern stuff and will tolerate no further foolishness. I am a different Courteau than you ever knew. I've had my rebirth. Now then our present mode of life is not pleasing to me, for I'm a fellow of spirit. Think of me—in the attitude of a dependent!"

"I share generously with you. I give you money—"

"The very point," he broke in, excitedly. "You give; I accept. You direct; I obey. It must end now, at once. I cannot play the accompaniment while you sing. Either I close my eyes to your folly and forgive, utterly—either we become man and wife again and I assume leadership—or I make different plans for the future."

"Just what do you propose, Henri?"

The fellow shrugged. "I offer you a reconciliation; that, to begin with. You've had your lesson and I flatter myself that you see me in a new light. The brave can afford to be generous. I—well, I've always had a feeling for you; I've never been blind to your attractions, my dear. Lately I've even experienced something of the—er—the old spell. Understand me? It's a fact. I'm actually taken with you, Hilda; I have the fire of an impetuous lover."

Courteau's eyes gleamed; there was an unusual warmth to his gaze and a vibrance to his tone. He curled his mustache, he swelled his chest, he laughed lightly but deeply. "What do you say, eh? I'm not altogether displeasing. No? You see something in me to admire? I thrill you? Confess."

The wife lowered her eyes. "You have some power—" she murmured.

"Power! Precisely." The Count nodded and there was a growing vivacity and sparkle to him. "That is my quality—a power to charm, a power to achieve a power to triumph. Well, I choose now to win you again for myself. It is my whim. To rekindle a love which one has lost is a test of any man's power, *n'est-ce pas?* You are fond of me. I see it. Am I not right, my sweet?"

He laid his soft white hands upon his wife's shoulders and bent an ardent gaze upon her. Hilda faced him with an odd smile; her cheeks were white, her ice-blue eyes were very wide and bright and they held a curious expression.

"Come! A kiss!" he persisted. "Oho! You tremble, you shrink like a maiden. I, too, am exhilarated, but—" With a chuckle he folded her in his embrace and she did not resist. After a moment he resumed: "This is quite too amusing. I wish my friends to see and to understand. Put on your prettiest dress—"

"What for?"

"We are going down-town. We shall celebrate our reunion—we shall drink to it publicly. All Dawson shall take note. They have said, 'Courteau is a loafer, a ne'er-do-well, and he permits another to win his wife away from him.' I propose to show them."

"You mean you propose to show me off. Is that it? Another conquest, eh?"

"Have it as you will. I—"

"I won't go," Hilda cried, furiously. She freed herself from his arms. "You know I won't go. You'd like to parade me in the places you frequent—saloons, dance-halls, gambling-houses. The idea!"

"You won't? Tut, tut! What is this?" Courteau cried, angrily. "Rebellious so soon? Is this recent change of demeanor assumed? Have you been fooling me?"

"What change?" the woman parried. "I don't know—"

"Oh yes, you do! For the first time in years you have treated me as a husband should be treated; half-measures will no longer satisfy me. We have arrived at the show-up. Are you a miserable Delilah or—"

"Please don't ask me to go out with you, Henri," the woman pleaded, in genuine distress, now that she saw he was in earnest. "To be paraded like an animal on a chain! Think of my feelings."

"Indeed! Think of mine," he cried. "This is my hour, my triumph; I propose to make it complete. Now that I carefully consider it, I will put you to the test. You've had a fine time; if you pay a price for it, whose fault is that? No! One must be cruel to be kind."

"Cruel! Kind!" Hilda sneered.



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"It merely pleases you to humiliate me."

"Very well!" blazed the Count. "If it pleases me, so be it. That is my attitude now and henceforth—my will is to be law. Come! Your prettiest dress and your prettiest smile, for we celebrate. Yes, and money, too; I'm as poverty-ridden as usual. We will treat my friends, we will gamble here and there, we will watch the shows to an accompaniment of popping corks so that every one shall see us and say: 'Yonder is Courteau and his wife. They have made up and she adores him like a mistress. *Parbleau!* The man has a way with women, eh!' It shall be a great night for me."

"Are you really serious?"

Courteau stamped his felt-shod foot. "Anger me no more."

Hilda's face was colorless, her eyes were still glowing with that peculiar light of defiance, of desperation, of curiosity; nevertheless, she turned away and began to dress herself.

Courteau was not disappointed. His appearance in the river-front resorts, accompanied by his wife, created a sensation indeed. And Hilda's bearing, under the circumstances, added to his gratification, for, now that the die was cast, she surrendered completely, she clung to him as if feeling a new dependence, and this filled his cup to overflowing. It was an outrageous thing to do; no one save a Courteau would have thought of subjecting the woman who bore his name to such a humiliation. But he was a perverse individual; his mind ran in crooked courses; he took a bizarre delight in the unusual, and morality of the common sort he knew not. To smirch her, even a little bit, to subject her to seeming disgrace, not only taught her a lesson, but also united them more closely, so he told himself. That he had the ability to compel her to do anything against her will immensely tickled his vanity, for her stubborn independence had always been a trial to him. He knew that her social status was not of the highest; nevertheless, her reputation was far better than his, and among all except the newest arrivals in Dawson she bore a splendid name. To be, himself, the cause of blackening that name, in order to match his own, gratified his feelings of resentment. All in all, it was a night of nights for him and he was at no pains to conceal his satisfaction. From one place to another he led her, taking malicious enjoyment from the distress he caused.

Courteau was not loud nor blatant; nevertheless, his triumphant demeanor, his proprietary air, fairly shouted the fact that he had tamed this woman and was exhibiting her against her inclinations. At every bar he forced her to drink with him and with his friends; he even called up barroom loafers whom he did not know and introduced them with an elaborate flourish.

(To be continued)

TODAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

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WJZ, New York (454); WRG, Washington (469); WGY, Schenectady (380) 8:25 p. m, eastern standard time—New York Philharmonic Orchestra.

KDKA, East Pittsburgh (309) 8:30 p. m. eastern standard time—Handel's Festival Oratorio "The Messiah."

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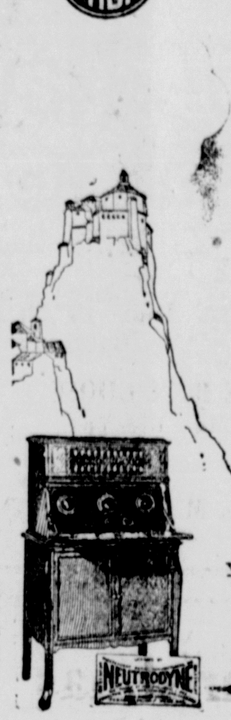
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CHAPTER XXV

"You really must do something for this boy Pierce Phillips." Mrs. Cavendish spoke with decision.

The newspaper which the colonel was reading was barely six weeks old, therefore he was deeply engrossed in it, and he looked up somewhat absentmindedly.

"Yes, yes. Of course, my dear," he murmured. "What does he want now?"

"Why, he wants his liberty! He wants this absurd charge against him dismissed! It's a shame to hold a boy of his character, his breeding, on the mere word of a man like Count Courteau."

Colonel Cavendish smiled quizzically. "You, too, eh?" said he.

"What do you mean by that?"

"Why, you're the fourth woman who has appealed to me since his arrest. I dare say I'll hear from others. I never saw a fellow who had the female vote so solidly behind him. I'm beginning to regard him as a sort of domestic menace."

"You surely don't believe him guilty?"

When her husband refused to commit himself Mrs. Cavendish exclaimed, "Rubbish!"

"First Josephine came to me," the colonel observed. "She was deeply indignant and considerably disappointed in me as a man and a father when I refused to quash the entire proceedings and apologize, on behalf of the Dominion Government, for the injury to the lad's feelings. She was actually peeved. What ails her I don't know. Then the Countess Courteau dropped in, and so did that 'lady dealer' from the Rialto. Now you take up his defense." The speaker paused thoughtfully for an instant. "It's bad enough to have the fellow hanging around our quarters at all hours, but Josephine actually suggested that we have him *dine* with us!"

"I know. She spoke of it to me. But he isn't 'hanging around at all hours.' Josephine is interested in his case, just as I am, because—"

"My dear! He's a weigher in a saloon, a gambling-house employee. D'you think it wise to raise such a dust about him? I like the boy myself—can't help liking him—but you understand what he's been doing? He's been cutting up; going the pace. I never knew you to countenance a fellow—"

"I never saw a boy toward whom I felt so—motherly," Mrs. Cavendish said, with some irrelevance. "I don't like wild young men any better than you do, but—he isn't a thief, of that I'm sure."

"Look here." Colonel Cavendish laid down his paper, and there was more gravity than usual in his tone. "I haven't told you everything, but its' evidently time I did. Phillips was mixed up with bad associates, the very worst in town—"

"So he told me."

"He couldn't have told you what I'm about to. He had a most unfortunate affair with a dance-hall girl—one that reflects no credit upon him. He was on the straight path to ruin and going at a gallop, drinking, gambling—everything."

"All the more reason for trying to save him. Remember, you were wild yourself."

"Wait! I don't say he's guilty of this charge; I want to believe him innocent—I'd like to help prove it. For that very reason it occurred to me that Laure—she's the dance-hall girl—might throw some light on the matter, so I put Rock to work on her. Well, his report wasn't pleasant. The girl talked, but what she said didn't help Phillips. She confessed that he'd been stealing right along and giving her the money."

Mrs. Cavendish was shocked, incredulous. After a moment, however, she shook her head positively and exclaimed, "I don't believe a word of it."

"She's going to swear to it."

"Her oath would be no better than her word—"

"Good Lord!" the colonel cried, testily. "Has this young imp completely hypnotized you women? The Kirby girl is frightened to death, and the Countess—well, she told me herself that her husband's jealousy was at the bottom of the whole thing. Laure, in spite of what she said to Rock, is behaving like a mad person. I dropped in at the Rialto this evening and she asked me what was the worst Pierce could expect. I made it strong, purposely, and I thought she'd faint. No, it's a nasty affair, all through. And, by Jove! to cap the climax, you and Josephine take part in it! I flatter myself that I'm democratic, but—have him here to dine! Gad! That's playing democracy pretty strong."

"It isn't fair to imply that he's nothing more than a ladies' man. They're detestable. The men like Phillips, too."

"True," Cavendish admitted. "He has the God-given faculty of making friends, and for that alone I can forgive him almost anything. It's a wonderful faculty—better than being born lucky or rich or handsome. I'm fond of him, but I've favored him all I can. If I thought Josephine were seriously interested in him—well, I wouldn't feel so friendly." The speaker laughed shortly. "No. The man who claims that girl's attention must be clean through and through. He must stand the acid test."

When his wife silently approved this sentiment the colonel picked up his paper and resumed his reading.

Pierce's friends were indeed uniformly indignant, and without exception they maintained their faith in his innocence; most of them, in fact, actually applied themselves to the task of clearing him of Courteau's charge. But of the latter the one who applied herself the most thoughtfully, the most seriously, was the Countess Courteau. Having reasoned that she herself was indirectly responsible for his plight, she set about aiding him in a thoroughly feminine and indirect manner. It was an unpleasant undertaking; she took it up with intense abhorrence; it required her utmost determination to carry it on. Her plan had formed itself immediately she had learned what had happened; her meeting with the Count that evening and her unexpected solicitude, her unbidden attention to his injury, were a part of it. As time went on she assumed an air that amazed the man. She meekly accepted his reproaches, she submitted to his abuse; cautiously, patiently she paved the way to a reconciliation.

It was by no means easy, for she and Henri had long lived in what was little better than a state of open hostility, and she had been at no pains to conceal the utter disregard and contempt she felt for him. He, of course, had resented it; her change of demeanor now awoke his suspicion. He was a vain and shallow person, however; his conceit was thoroughly Latin, and Hilda's perseverance was in a way rewarded. Slowly, grudgingly he gave ground before her subtle advances—they were, in fact, less advances on her part than opportunities for him—he experienced a feeling of triumph and began to assume a masterful air that was indeed trying to one of her disposition. Before his friends he boasted that his energetic defense of his honor had worked a marvel in his home; in her presence he made bold to take on a swagger and an authority hitherto unknown.

Hilda stood it, with what cost no one could possibly understand. In some manner she managed to convey the idea that he dominated her and that she cringed spiritually before him. She permitted him occasionally to surprise a look of bewilderment, almost of fright, in her eyes, and this tickled the man immensely. With a fatuous complacency, thoroughly typical, he told himself that she feared and respected him—was actually falling in love with him all over again. When he felt the impulse to scout this idea he went to his mirror and examined himself critically. Why not? he asked himself. He was very pleasing. Women had always been wax in his hands; he had a personality, an air, an irresistible something that had won him many conquests. It seemed not unlikely that Hilda had been shocked into a new and keener realization of his many admirable qualities and was ready to make up, if, or when, he graciously chose to permit her.

On the very evening that Colonel Cavendish and his wife were discussing Pierce Phillips' affair, Courteau, feeling in a particularly jubilant mood, decided to put the matter to a test; therefore he surprised his wife by walking into her room unannounced.

"My dear," he began, "it's high time we had a talk."

"Indeed!" said she. "What about?"

"About you, about me, about our affairs. Are we husband and wife or are we not? I ask you."

With a queer flicker of her eyelids she answered: "Why—of course. You have appeared to forget it sometimes, but—"

"No reproaches, please. The past is gone. Neither of us is without blame. You've had your fling, too, but I've shown you that I'm made of stern stuff and will tolerate no further foolishness. I am a different Courteau than you ever knew. I've had my rebirth. Now then our present mode of life is not pleasing to me, for I'm a fellow of spirit. Think of me—in the attitude of a dependent!"

"I share generously with you. I give you money—"

"The very point," he broke in, excitedly. "You give; I accept. You direct; I obey. It must end now, at once. I cannot play the accompaniment while you sing. Either I close my eyes to your folly and forgive, utterly—either we become man and wife again and I assume leadership—or I make different plans for the future."

"Just what do you propose, Henri?"

The fellow shrugged. "I offer you a reconciliation; that, to begin with. You've had your lesson and I flatter myself that you see me in a new light. The brave can afford to be generous. I—well, I've always had a feeling for you; I've never been blind to your attractions, my dear. Lately I've even experienced something of the—er—the old spell. Understand me? It's a fact. I'm actually taken with you, Hilda; I have the fire of an impetuous lover.'

Courteau's eyes gleamed; there was an unusual warmth to his gaze and a vibrance to his tone. He curled his mustache, he swelled his chest, he laughed lightly but deeply. "What do you say, eh? I'm not altogether displeasing. No? You see something in me to admire? I thrill you? Confess."

The wife lowered her eyes. "You have some power—" she murmured.

"Power! Precisely." The Count nodded and there was a growing vivacity and sparkle to him. "That is my quality—a power to charm, a power to achieve a power to triumph. Well, I choose now to win you again for myself. It is my whim. To rekindle a love which one has lost is a test of any man's power, *n'est-ce pas?* You are fond of me. I see it. Am I not right, my sweet?"

He laid his soft white hands upon his wife's shoulders and bent an ardent gaze upon her. Hilda faced him with an odd smile; her cheeks were white, her ice-blue eyes were very wide and bright and they held a curious expression.

"Come! A kiss!" he persisted. "Ohe! You tremble, you shrink like a maiden. I, too, am exhilarated, but—" With a chuckle he folded her in his embrace and she did not resist. After a moment he resumed: "This is quite too amusing. I wish my friends to see and to understand. Put on your prettiest dress—"

"What for?"

"We are going down-town. We shall celebrate our reunion—we shall drink to it publicly. All Dawson shall take note. They have said, 'Courteau is a loafer, a ne'er-do-well, and he permits another to win his wife away from him.' I propose to show them."

"You mean you propose to show me off. Is that it? Another conquest, eh?"

"Have it as you will. I—"

"I won't go," Hilda cried, furiously. She freed herself from his arms. "You know I won't go. You'd like to parade me in the places you frequent—saloons, dance-halls, gambling-houses. The idea!"

"You won't? Tut, tut! What is this?" Courteau cried, angrily. "Rebellious so soon? Is this recent change of demeanor assumed? Have you been fooling me?"

"What change?" the woman parried. "I don't know—"

"Oh yes, you do! For the first time in years you have treated me as a husband should be treated; half-measures will no longer satisfy me. We have arrived at the show-up. Are you a miserable Delilah or—"

"Please don't ask me to go out with you, Henri," the woman pleaded, in genuine distress, now that she saw he was in earnest. "To be paraded like an animal on a chain! Think of my feelings."

"Indeed! Think of mine," he cried. "This is my hour, my triumph; I propose to make it complete. Now that I carefully consider it, I will put you to the test. You've had a fine time; if you pay a price for it, whose fault is that? No! One must be cruel to be kind."

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"It merely pleases you to humiliate me."

"Very well!" blazed the Count. "If it pleases me, so be it. That is my attitude now and henceforth—my will is to be law. Come! Your prettiest dress and your prettiest smile, for we celebrate. Yes, and money, too; I'm as poverty-ridden as usual. We will treat my friends, we will gamble here and there, we will watch the shows to an accompaniment of popping corks so that every one shall see us and say: 'Yonder is Courteau and his wife. They have made up and she adores him like a mistress. *Parbleau!* The man has a way with women, eh!' It shall be a great night for me."

"Are you really serious?"

Courteau stamped his felt-shod foot. "Anger me no more."

Hilda's face was colorless, her eyes were still glowing with that peculiar light of defiance, of desperation, of curiosity; nevertheless, she turned away and began to dress herself.

Courteau was not disappointed. His appearance in the river-front resorts, accompanied by his wife, created a sensation indeed. And Hilda's bearing, under the circumstances, added to his gratification, for, now that the die was cast, she surrendered completely, she clung to him as if feeling a new dependence, and this filled his cup to overflowing. It was an outrageous thing to do; no one save a Courteau would have thought of subjecting the woman who bore his name to such a humiliation. But he was a perverse individual; his mind ran in crooked courses; he took a bizarre delight in the unusual, and morality of the common sort he knew not. To smirch her, even a little bit, to subject her to seeming disgrace, not only taught her a lesson, but also united them more closely, so he told himself. That he had the ability to compel her to do anything against her will immensely tickled his vanity, for her stubborn independence had always been a trial to him. He knew that her social status was not of the highest; nevertheless, her reputation was far better than his, and among all except the newest arrivals in Dawson she bore a splendid name. To be, himself, the cause of blackening that name, in order to match his own, gratified his feelings of resentment. All in all, it was a night of nights for him and he was at no pains to conceal his satisfaction. From one place to another he led her, taking malicious enjoyment from the distress he caused.

Courteau was not loud nor blatant; nevertheless, his triumphant demeanor, his proprietary air, fairly shouted the fact that he had tamed this woman and was exhibiting her against her inclinations. At every bar he forced her to drink with him and with his friends; he even called up barroom loafers whom he did not know and introduced them with an elaborate flourish.

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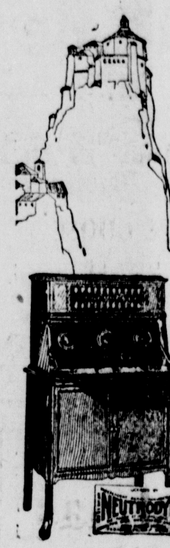
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OUR DISAPPEARING LAKES

THE editor of Farm, Stock and Home and Northwest Farmstead, under the heading, "Our Disappearing Lakes," takes a most lugubrious view of the situation:

"Where now stands the city of Fargo, once the water was 500 feet deep," says the publisher of the farm paper quoted. As a boy, says this publisher, he shot ducks where now is being erected the big new warehouse of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries in Fargo.

And he concludes that our lakes are drying up—some of them very gradually, some of them rather rapidly. Five times parts of Minnesota have been covered hundreds of feet deep with glacial ice. Receding before the increasing warmth of cycles whose mutations are measured by geological ages, these glaciers left lakes. Some of these lakes long since have disappeared as the result of causes over which men have no control. Upon others some of these causes still are operating.

R. R. Wise had an experience in hotel business in the early history of the Dakotas. He built a structure on a lake shore and some years later found the lake had receded so much that he was literally high and dry and hundreds of yards away from the water. And then the railroad shifted and he was on a branch line. This succession of circumstances induced him to remove hotel and all to Brainerd. It was probably this experience that caused Mr. Wise to take such a deep interest in Minnesota lakes, to assist in founding the Ten Thousand Lakes of Minnesota Association and to work ceaselessly for their preservation and the extension of the tourist business which they attracted.

The character of any country changes as settlement increases. Old timers remember the duck pond bounded by Oak, Pine, Sixth and Seventh streets. Now residences occupy the site. The site of our water tower was once a gully. Lakes of years ago have degenerated to swamps. Swamps of today, by a little drainage, become the luxuriant meadows of tomorrow. Nature never rests. Her complexion is constantly changing. Unlike the flapper, she does not cling to a prescribed set of colors or treatment.

The Farm, Stock and Home man calls attention to the work of evaporation, which annually absorbs 30 inches of water. Seepage gradually increases as the level of adjacent ground water recedes. Erosion at flood times scours deeper the beds of outlet streams. And the bottom of the lakes in many cases actually rises. Silt washes in from surrounding hills. Aquatic plants grow and deposit their residues. Even animal life contributes its bones and shells to the process of building marl strata. And this filling up process proceeds at a rate which, after the depth has been reduced to about 12 feet, is rapidly accelerated. Then the plants grow rapidly, and comparatively soon the lake becomes a swamp and later perhaps a farm.

"Recurring periods of light and heavy rainfall cause comparatively rapid fluctuations. Some meteorologists think these periods have a regular sequence. Some say it is 35 years, some 18. The amateur often says, 14, seven years wet and seven years dry." This matter was under discussion at Brainerd last year when lake levels became alarmingly low. County Highway Engineer Walter M. Murphy has arrived at a cycle of years, high and low water, gained by a study of lake levels.

Minnesota is often short on rainfall and this contributes to low lake levels. But we maintain that the character of the ground has something to do with the lake levels. If forests are leveled, ditches dug, ground cultivated, and other changes made, the ground is not such a container of moisture as it was in its native state. The great problem before us is to see that land near the headwaters is not commercially sacrificed, that water reservoirs of nature are maintained, bringing in its train also retention and extension of wild bird and animal and fish life. Water levels are certainly linked up with conservation of natural resources.

"In the subsidence of the waters, the riparian owner of farm land may rejoice. He owns to the water's edge. The summer resort owner, on the other hand, grieves. The chief value of his property is diminished. In most cases, however, neither need consider that the present low stage of water is likely to be permanent. The next period of wet years will fill them brimming."

SEN. CUMMINS' PROBLEM

"WHEN is a person intoxicated?" queries Senator Cummins. "When he's feeling happy or when he can't walk?" The subject will be considered by the new sub-committee of the senate taking up the Edge bill on permitting 2.75 per cent beer. In the old days in Brainerd, as told by Col. Charles D. Johnson, when liquor was legal and no prohibition existed, the colonel went to St. Paul and found a Brainerd friend lying in the gutter and a policeman about to arrest the prone individual.

The colonel, as ever loyal to his home town and home town friends, protested arresting the man. "Why, of course, he's drunk," said the officer. "No," said Charlie, "he's not, for he can still move his little finger."

NOVEL POINT IN ART CRITICISM

A NOVEL point in art criticism has been raised by the Duluth News Tribune. It objects to Minneapolis paying a quarter of a million dollars for an old world master's painting and says the money would do more good if it had not centered on one painting and had bought instead some 200 paintings.

Can more inspiration be gained from one beautiful picture with a mission and soul, than from 200 smaller paintings? As matters stand, the 200 purchase would have appealed to some people if the paintings selected had been the works of American artists.

DAD EASTMAN of the St. Cloud Daily Journal-Press says it's a happy custom for all of us to pay all the small accounts we happen to owe, and start in the New Year with as clean a slate as possible. If all the small bills are paid there will be a lot of coin let loose to speed up good times in 1926. It's all right, if the Christmas presents bills haven't submerged the Man of the House.

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The type of diver's suit most generally used in Great Britain and the United States is made of waterproof cloth, with a helmet of tinned copper, having circular glasses in front, and valves to admit and discharge air. Its weight is about 275 pounds.

Safety

It is estimated that travel by railroad is "ten times safer than travel by automobile," but it seems to be safer to travel by automobile than to cross a street.—Springfield Republican.

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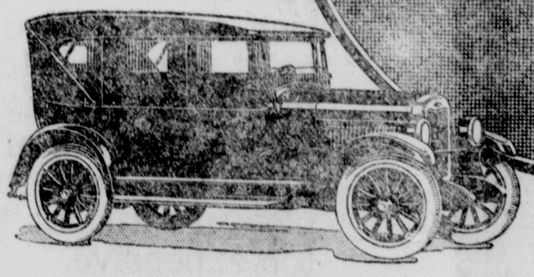
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OUR DISAPPEARING LAKES

THE editor of Farm, Stock and Home and Northwest Farmstead, under the heading, "Our Disappearing Lakes," takes a most lugubrious view of the situation:

"Where now stands the city of Fargo, once the water was 500 feet deep," says the publisher of the farm paper quoted. As a boy, says this publisher, he shot ducks where now is being erected the big new warehouse of the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries in Fargo.

And he concludes that our lakes are drying up—some of them very gradually, some of them rather rapidly. Five times parts of Minnesota have been covered hundreds of feet deep with glacial ice. Receding before the increasing warmth of cycles whose mutations are measured by geological ages, these glaciers left lakes. Some of these lakes long since have disappeared as the result of causes over which men have no control. Upon others some of these causes still are operating.

R. R. Wise had an experience in hotel business in the early history of the Dakotas. He built a structure on a lake shore and some years later found the lake had receded so much that he was literally high and dry and hundreds of yards away from the water. And then the railroad shifted and he was on a branch line. This succession of circumstances induced him to remove hotel and all to Brainerd. It was probably this experience that caused Mr. Wise to take such a deep interest in Minnesota lakes, to assist in founding the Ten Thousand Lakes of Minnesota Association and to work ceaselessly for their preservation and the extension of the tourist business which they attracted.

The character of any country changes as settlement increases. Old timers remember the duck pond bounded by Oak, Pine, Sixth and Seventh streets. Now residences occupy the site. The site of our water tower was once a gully. Lakes of years ago have degenerated to swamps. Swamps of today, by a little drainage, become the luxuriant meadows of tomorrow. Nature never rests. Her complexion is constantly changing. Unlike the flapper, she does not cling to a prescribed set of colors or treatment.

The Farm, Stock and Home man calls attention to the work of evaporation, which annually absorbs 30 inches of water. Seepage gradually increases as the level of adjacent ground water recedes. Erosion at flood times scours deeper the beds of outlet streams. And the bottom of the lakes in many cases actually rises. Silt washes in from surrounding hills. Aquatic plants grow and deposit their residues. Even animal life contributes its bones and shells to the process of building marl strata. And this filling up process proceeds at a rate which, after the depth has been reduced to about 12 feet, is rapidly accelerated. Then the plants grow rapidly, and comparatively soon the lake becomes a swamp and later perhaps a farm.

"Recurring periods of light and heavy rainfall cause comparatively rapid fluctuations. Some meteorologists think these periods have a regular sequence. Some say it is 35 years, some 18. The amateur often says, 14, seven years wet and seven years dry." This matter was under discussion at Brainerd last year when lake levels became alarmingly low. County Highway Engineer Walter M. Murphy has arrived at a cycle of years, high and low water, gained by a study of lake levels.

Minnesota is often short on rainfall and this contributes to low lake levels. But we maintain that the character of the ground has something to do with the lake levels. If forests are leveled, ditches dug, ground cultivated, and other changes made, the ground is not such a container of moisture as it was in its native state. The great problem before us is to see that land near the headwaters is not commercially sacrificed, that water reservoirs of nature are maintained, bringing in its train also retention and extension of wild bird and animal and fish life. Water levels are certainly linked up with conservation of natural resources.

"In the subsidence of the waters, the riparian owner of farm land may rejoice. He owns to the water's edge. The summer resort owner, on the other hand, grieves. The chief value of his property is diminished. In most cases, however, neither need consider that the present low stage of water is likely to be permanent. The next period of wet years will fill them brimming."

SEN. CUMMINS' PROBLEM

"WHEN is a person intoxicated?" queries Senator Cummins. "When he's feeling happy or when he can't walk?" The subject will be considered by the new sub-committee of the senate taking up the Edge bill on permitting 2.75 per cent beer. In the old days in Brainerd, as told by Col. Charles D. Johnson, when liquor was legal and no prohibition existed, the colonel went to St. Paul and found a Brainerd friend lying in the gutter and a policeman about to arrest the prone individual.

The colonel, as ever loyal to his home town and home town friends, protested arresting the man. "Why, of course, he's drunk," said the officer. "No," said Charlie, "he's not, for he can still move his little finger."

NOVEL POINT IN ART CRITICISM

A NOVEL point in art criticism has been raised by the Duluth News Tribune. It objects to Minneapolis paying a quarter of a million dollars for an old world master's painting and says the money would do more good if it had not centered on one painting and had bought instead some 200 paintings.

Can more inspiration be gained from one beautiful picture with a mission and soul, than from 200 smaller paintings? As matters stand, the 200 purchase would have appealed to some people if the paintings selected had been the works of American artists.

DAD EASTMAN of the St. Cloud Daily Journal-Press says it's a happy custom for all of us to pay all the small accounts we happen to owe, and start in the New Year with as clean a slate as possible. If all the small bills are paid there will be a lot of coin let loose to speed up good times in 1926. It's all right, if the Christmas presents bills haven't submerged the Man of the House.

IF you want to give any woman a compliment, one which appeals to her and, by the way, to every woman, just say that any woman is too good for any man.

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Diver Carries Weight

The type of diver's suit most generally used in Great Britain and the United States is made of waterproof cloth, with a helmet of tinned copper, having circular glasses in front, and valves to admit and discharge air. Its weight is about 275 pounds.

Safety

It is estimated that travel by railroad is "ten times safer than travel by automobile," but it seems to be safer to travel by automobile than to cross a street.—Springfield Republican.

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The Standard Oil Co., Ford Motor Co., International Harvester Co., and other big corporations haven't time to waste "breaking in" new help. They repeatedly engage employees from Dakota Business College, Fargo, where pupils have been taught actual business practices in fully equipped offices. Bessie Martin is the 157th D. B. C. graduate to go to Standard Oil Co. Nearly 700 banks engage "Dakotans."

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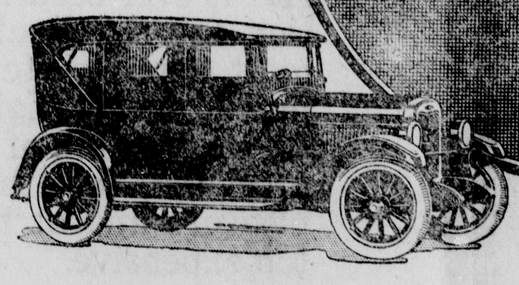
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St. Francis Catholic Church
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Sunday services—
First Mass, 7:45 a. m.
Second Mass, 9 a. m.
High Mass, 10 a. m.
Holy Hour, 7:30 p. m.
Baptisms, 1:30 to 2 p. m.
Instructions at all services.
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Sunday 2 P. M.—Sunday school. Miss Flora Foster, Supt.
Sunday, 2 P. M. — Bible class. Frances Chase in charge.
Sunday, 3 P. M.—Regular preaching service.
Sunday, 7:45 P. M. W. J. Smith, Sunday school missionary, will speak. Text: John 7.38 and 39.

Swedish Baptist Church
A. Paulson, Pastor
10:30—Morning worship (Swedish).
11:45—Sunday school.
7:45—Evening service in English. Quartet, will sing two selections. Sermon: "The Message of Christmas."
On Christmas day there will be a "Julotta" service with special music at 6 o'clock in the morning.
The Christmas program of the Sunday school will be given Sunday evening, Dec. 27.

Swedish Bethany Church
Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. All should plan to be there as the Christmas program will be rehearsed.
The adult classes will meet in the back room of the church and the teachers are anxious to have a full attendance.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M. Virginia Erickson, leader.
No other services during the day, the pastor being absent.
P. G. Fallquist, Minister.

First Baptist Church
The Church of the Cordial Welcome
9:45—Sunday school. Classes for all ages.
11 A. M.—Morning service.
6:45—B. Y. P. U. A live young people's organization invites you to meet with them.
7:45 P. M.—Evening service. Rev. Wickstrand of the Bethel Theological Seminary of St. Paul will preach at both the morning and evening service.
The choir and chorus will render special music at both the morning and evening service.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Juniper and Seventh Streets
Robert James Long, Rector
Services for Sunday, Dec. 20—
Holy communion—8 A. M.
Church school—10 A. M.
Morning service and sermon—11 A. M.
Special Christmas service and presentation of the pageant: "The Nativity," by the church school — 4 P. M.
The public is cordially invited to all of these services and a special invitation is extended to all to attend the pageant of the church school at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Evangelical Church
Sunday school at 9:45.
Miss Galbraith, blind singer, will sing at the closing session. Don't forget your offering.
Morning worship at 11.
Senior E. L. C. E. at 7:15.
Miss Irene Krueger, leader.
Evening service at 8.
On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Christmas program will be given. Watch the paper for announcement.
Annual business meeting New Year's Eve. Keep this date open and plan to be there.
L. F. Strothman, Pastor.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church
Sunday school, 9:30. All the children who expect to take part in the Christmas tree program are urged to be present.
Divine services in the English language in the evening at 7:30.
No morning service.
Confirmation class every Saturday afternoon at 1:30.
Christmas day, divine services in the Norwegian language at 10:30. Special singing.
Christmas tree and program by the Sunday school in the evening at 7:30. Everybody welcome.
O. L. Bolstad, Pastor.

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There's a call throughout the land for adventurers—men and women with a spirit of high and holy daring.

The lunch clubs have adopted their slogans: "He profits most who serves best," "We Build," etc. The churches have adopted their "social creeds." Political parties have written their platforms. Governments have issued state papers full of noble sentiments.

But we are waiting for someone with the daring to incarnate these splendid slogans.

The golden rule and the sermon on the mount remains as two of the noblest ideals that have ever been spoken by human lips. But who of us is ready to take them seriously in earnest.

Galileo, Savanarola, Huss, Nathan Hale, Touissant L'Overture and hundreds of others receive our admiration but who, in 1925, is willing to imitate them?

American business is calling for an adventurer who is willing to cut across the accepted lines of business procedure and blaze new trails. Henry Ford was such an adventurer. His six dollar minimum wage was a piece of fine daring. Who follows in his train?

The American church is calling for adventurers. Wesley, Cyprian, St. Francis of Assizi and Cardinal Mercier have set the example. Who follows in their train? Who will put the welfare of the people above the welfare of the denomination?

The American school is calling for adventurers. Socrates broke with every educational standard and convention of his time. Mark Hopkins was a trail blazer. Who will undertake to lead us out of the wilderness?

What American woman is going to rise to call our girls back to modesty, womanliness and wholesome sweetness of life and action? What American man is ready to capture the imagination of the boyhood of the nation by his clean and fearless living?

There is a call for the man who can stand alone for a principle, for the woman who is willing to be peculiar, if necessary, to retain her highest womanliness, for the youth who will go to college for the sake of an education, for the business that can maintain it's idealism in the midst of cut-throat competition.

Everywhere the call is rising for the man of moral daring. Adventurers of faith are wanted.

Peoples Congregational Church
Sunday school, 10.
Evening service, 7:30. Special music by the choir. Sermon subject, "The Rising of the Sun of Righteousness."
The Sunday school will hold its Christmas program on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23.
N. P. Olmsted, Minister.

First Presbyterian Church
Alexander G. Patterson, Pastor
Our Christmas Sabbath.
9:30—Our Primary.
10:30—The third sermon in the pre-Christmas series: "The Story of the Jesus of Christmas." Anthem: "Around the World," quartet.
3—Junior C. E.
6:30—Intermediate C. E.
7:30—The third sermon in the evening pre-Christmas series: "The Light of Christmas."
Ladies' Chorus will sing: "Down the Ages," arranged on Batiste's "Pilgrim's Song of Hope," and "Jubilate Deo," by R. M. Stults.

The Salvation Army
Holiness meeting, Sunday, 10:30 A. M.
Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 P. M.
Young People's meeting, 6:30 P. M.
Open air meeting, 7:30 P. M.
Public salvation meeting for all, 8 P. M.

Week Meetings

Tuesday, Soldiers' meeting, 8 P. M.
Thursday, open air meeting, 7:30. Inside, 8 P. M.
Saturday, open air meeting, 7:30. Public praise inside, 8 P. M.
All are welcome!
Capt. F. Petrie and Lieut. Edwards in charge.

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
South Seventh Street
J. R. Michaelson, Pastor
Morning worship in the English language at 11 A. M. Anthems by the junior choir.
The Sunday school and Bible classes will meet in the afternoon at 2 to rehearse the Christmas program. Carl Anderson, Supt.
Evening worship, English, at 7:45 P. M. The church choir will sing. At the beginning of the evening service, Miss Coral Gilbraith will be present and will render vocal solos and readings.
No Bible hour this Tuesday evening.
Wednesday evening, choir rehearsals. The junior choir at 7, and the church choir at 8 o'clock.
Christmas Day services—
Christmas service in the morning at 11 A. M. The church choir will sing: "The Angel's Song," J. Trumen Wolcott, and "O Quiet Night," W. H. Neidlinger.
In the evening at 7:45, the Sunday school of the church will give a Christmas program under the leadership of the superintendent, Carl Anderson. The junior choir will sing: "The World-wide Song," Fred B. Holten, and "Hail, King of Kings!" by Carrie B. Adams.
Services Saturday—Christmas service at Bethel Lutheran church at 11 A. M. Christmas anthems by the church choir.
In the evening, a Christmas program will be rendered by the Sunday school with the superintendent, Miss Mabel Madsen, in charge. The program will begin at 8 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church
6th and Juniper
Morris L. Eversz, Pastor
Sunday services: 10:30 A. M.—"Christ Enriching the World." Antiphonal anthem by the chorus choir, Mrs. Hagel, director. Miss Skauge, organist.
Church school or religious education at 12 M.
Christmas services at 6 P. M. promptly. Program by the children and young people, concluding with a pageant showing the blessedness of giving self, service, substance, "White Gifts" for the children in foreign mission stations. Miss Drexler has been directing the training for this event.
Monday evening, Scout Troop No. 1, Mr. Hagel, S. M.
Tuesday from 2 to 4 P. M. Christmas party for Mrs. Lammon's department; Wednesday from 2 to 4 P. M., the same for Miss Skauge's and Miss Michael's departments. These parties are by the patronage of the Philathea class.
The public is most cordially invited to Sunday services, especially the one at 6 o'clock in the evening.
Watch night services, December 31st from 9 to 12 M.

First Congregational Church
Christmas program of the church school, Saturday evening, Dec. 19., at 7. There will be a Christmas play, "The Spirit of Christmas," and several other features of interest, including carols by the Nightingales. One prominent feature of the program will be the presenting of the "White Gifts," which will be used to make up Christmas baskets for the needy of the community.
Church school meets in two sections, the primary and junior departments meeting at 9:30 and the young people's department at 12.
Morning service, 10:45. There will be a Christmas sermon by the pastor and special music by the choir. One notable feature of the service will be a violin solo by Miss Alice Johnstone, of the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago.
Christian Endeavor, 6, led by Dorothy Weisz.
N. P. Olmsted, Minister.

Clara Lutheran Church
August Samuelson, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:15.
Services (Swedish) 10:30.
Selection by double mixed quartet.
Services (English) 7:45. At the close of the service, Miss Coral Galbraith will give one reading and two solos. Miss Galbraith is a graduate of the Kansas school for the blind.
Monday morning at ten o'clock, the whole Sunday school will gather in the church auditorium to rehearse the Christmas program. It is absolutely necessary that every pupil be present and on time.
Wednesday evening, choir rehearsal.
Christmas day, early morning service (Julotta) at 5:30. Both languages will be used at this service. The choir will render several selections.
At seven o'clock in the evening the Sunday school will render its Christmas program.
AT PILLAGER
Confirmation class, 1:45.
Services, 3.

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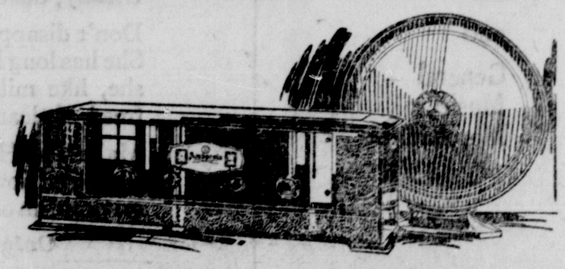
For this improvement over recent years we are all sincerely grateful and because of it, our "Merry Christmas" to each other will have more heart in it than for a long, long time past.

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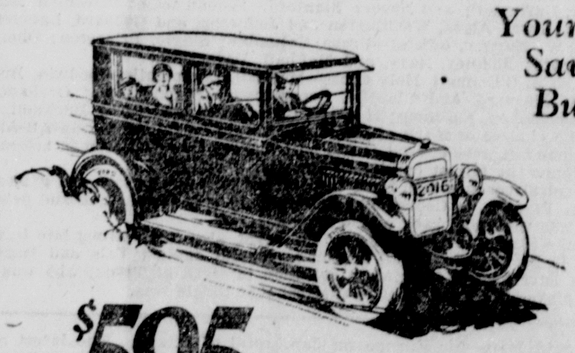
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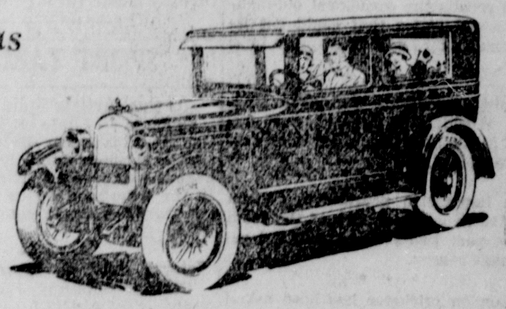
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Sunday, 2 P. M. — Bible class. Frances Chase in charge.
Sunday, 3 P. M.—Regular preaching service.
Sunday, 7:45 P. M. W. J. Smith, Sunday school missionary, will speak. Text: John 7.38 and 39.

Swedish Baptist Church
A. Paulson, Pastor
10:30—Morning worship (Swedish).
11:45—Sunday school.
7:45—Evening service in English. Quartet, will sing two selections. Sermon: "The Message of Christmas."
On Christmas day there will be a "Julotta" service with special music at 6 o'clock in the morning.
The Christmas program of the Sunday school will be given Sunday evening, Dec. 27.

Swedish Bethany Church
Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. All should plan to be there as the Christmas program will be rehearsed.
The adult classes will meet in the back room of the church and the teachers are anxious to have a full attendance.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30 P. M. Virginia Erickson, leader.
No other services during the day, the pastor being absent.
P. G. Fallquist, Minister.

First Baptist Church
The Church of the Cordial Welcome
9:45—Sunday school. Classes for all ages.
11 A. M.—Morning service.
6:45—B. Y. P. U. A live young people's organization invites you to meet with them.
7:45 P. M.—Evening service. Rev. Wickstrand of the Bethel Theological Seminary of St. Paul will preach at both the morning and evening service.
The choir and chorus will render special music at both the morning and evening service.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Juniper and Seventh Streets
Robert James Long, Rector
Services for Sunday, Dec. 20—
Holy communion—8 A. M.
Church school—10 A. M.
Morning service and sermon—11 A. M.
Special Christmas service and presentation of the pageant: "The Nativity," by the church school — 4 P. M.
The public is cordially invited to all of these services and a special invitation is extended to all to attend the pageant of the church school at four o'clock in the afternoon.

The Evangelical Church
Sunday school at 9:45.
Miss Galbraith, blind singer, will sing at the closing session. Don't forget your offering.
Morning worship at 11.
Senior E. L. C. E. at 7:15.
Miss Irene Krueger, leader.
Evening service at 8.
On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Christmas program will be given. Watch the paper for announcement.
Annual business meeting New Year's Eve. Keep this date open and plan to be there.
L. F. Strothman, Pastor.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church
Sunday school, 9:30. All the children who expect to take part in the Christmas tree program are urged to be present.
Divine services in the English language in the evening at 7:30.
No morning service.
Confirmation class every Saturday afternoon at 1:30.
Christmas day, divine services in the Norwegian language at 10:30. Special singing.
Christmas tree and program by the Sunday school in the evening at 7:30. Everybody welcome.
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The golden rule and the sermon on the mount remains as two of the noblest ideals that have ever been spoken by human lips. But who of us is ready to take them seriously in earnest.

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The American church is calling for adventurers. Wesley, Cyprian, St. Francis of Assizi and Cardinal Mercier have set the example. Who follows in their train? Who will put the welfare of the people above the welfare of the denomination?

The American school is calling for adventurers. Socrates broke with every educational standard and convention of his time. Mark Hopkins was a trail blazer. Who will undertake to lead us out of the wilderness?

What American woman is going to rise to call our girls back to modesty, womanliness and wholesome sweetness of life and action? What American man is ready to capture the imagination of the boyhood of the nation by his clean and fearless living?

There is a call for the man who can stand alone for a principle, for the woman who is willing to be peculiar, if necessary, to retain her highest womanliness, for the youth who will go to college for the sake of an education, for the business that can maintain it's idealism in the midst of cut-throat competition.

Everywhere the call is rising for the man of moral daring. Adventurers of faith are wanted.

Peoples Congregational Church
Sunday school, 10.
Evening service, 7:30. Special music by the choir. Sermon subject, "The Rising of the Sun of Righteousness."
The Sunday school will hold its Christmas program on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23.
N. P. Olmsted, Minister.

First Presbyterian Church
Alexander G. Patterson, Pastor
Our Christmas Sabbath.
9:30—Our Primary.
10:30—The third sermon in the pre-Christmas series: "The Story of the Jesus of Christmas." Anthem: "Around the World," quartet.
3—Junior C. E.
6:30—Intermediate C. E.
7:30—The third sermon in the evening pre-Christmas series: "The Light of Christmas."
Ladies' Chorus will sing: "Down the Ages," arranged on Batiste's "Pilgrim's Song of Hope," and "Jubilate Deo," by R. M. Stults.

The Salvation Army
Holiness meeting, Sunday, 10:30 A. M.
Sunday school and Bible class, 2:30 P. M.
Young People's meeting, 6:30 P. M.
Open air meeting, 7:30 P. M.
Public salvation meeting for all, 8 P. M.

Week Meetings
Tuesday, Soldiers' meeting, 8 P. M.
Thursday, open air meeting, 7:30. Inside, 8 P. M.
Saturday, open air meeting, 7:30. Public praise inside, 8 P. M.
All are welcome!
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Bethlehem Lutheran Church
South Seventh Street
J. R. Michaelson, Pastor
Morning worship in the English language at 11 A. M. Anthems by the junior choir.
The Sunday school and Bible classes will meet in the afternoon at 2 to rehearse the Christmas program. Carl Anderson, Supt.
Evening worship, English, at 7:45 P. M. The church choir will sing. At the beginning of the evening service, Miss Coral Gilbraith will be present and will render vocal solos and readings.
No Bible hour this Tuesday evening.
Wednesday evening, choir rehearsals. The junior choir at 7, and the church choir at 8 o'clock.
Christmas Day services—
Christmas service in the morning at 11 A. M. The church choir will sing: "The Angel's Song," J. Trumen Wolcott, and "O Quiet Night," W. H. Neidlinger.
In the evening at 7:45, the Sunday school of the church will give a Christmas program under the leadership of the superintendent, Carl Anderson. The junior choir will sing: "The World-wide Song," Fred B. Holten, and "Hail, King of Kings!" by Carrie B. Adams.
Services Saturday—Christmas service at Bethel Lutheran church at 11 A. M. Christmas anthems by the church choir.
In the evening, a Christmas program will be rendered by the Sunday school with the superintendent, Miss Mabel Madsen, in charge. The program will begin at 8 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church
6th and Juniper
Morris L. Eversz, Pastor
Sunday services: 10:30 A. M.—"Christ Enriching the World." Antiphonal anthem by the chorus choir, Mrs. Hagel, director. Miss Skauge, organist.
Church school or religious education at 12 M.
Christmas services at 6 P. M. promptly. Program by the children and young people, concluding with a pageant showing the blessedness of giving self, service, substance, "White Gifts" for the children in foreign mission stations. Miss Drexler has been directing the training for this event.
Monday evening, Scout Troop No. 1, Mr. Hagel, S. M.
Tuesday from 2 to 4 P. M. Christmas party for Mrs. Lammon's department; Wednesday from 2 to 4 P. M., the same for Miss Skauge's and Miss Michael's departments. These parties are by the patronage of the Philathea class.
The public is most cordially invited to Sunday services, especially the one at 6 o'clock in the evening.
Watch night services, December 31st from 9 to 12 M.

First Congregational Church
Christmas program of the church school, Saturday evening, Dec. 19., at 7. There will be a Christmas play, "The Spirit of Christmas," and several other features of interest, including carols by the Nightingales. One prominent feature of the program will be the presenting of the "White Gifts," which will be used to make up Christmas baskets for the needy of the community.
Church school meets in two sections, the primary and junior departments meeting at 9:30 and the young people's department at 12.
Morning service, 10:45. There will be a Christmas sermon by the pastor and special music by the choir. One notable feature of the service will be a violin solo by Miss Alice Johnstone, of the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago.
Christian Endeavor, 6, led by Dorothy Weisz.
N. P. Olmsted, Minister.

Clara Lutheran Church
August Samuelson, Pastor
Sunday school, 9:15.
Services (Swedish) 10:30.
Selection by double mixed quartet.
Services (English) 7:45. At the close of the service, Miss Coral Galbraith will give one reading and two solos. Miss Galbraith is a graduate of the Kansas school for the blind.
Monday morning at ten o'clock, the whole Sunday school will gather in the church auditorium to rehearse the Christmas program. It is absolutely necessary that every pupil be present and on time.
Wednesday evening, choir rehearsal.
Christmas day, early morning service (Julotta) at 5:30. Both languages will be used at this service. The choir will render several selections.
At seven o'clock in the evening the Sunday school will render its Christmas program.

AT PILLAGER
Confirmation class, 1:45.
Services, 3.

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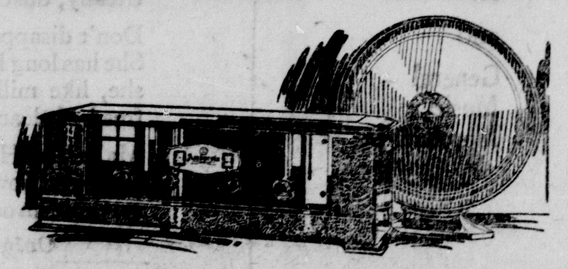
For this improvement over recent years we are all sincerely grateful and because of it, our "Merry Christmas" to each other will have more heart in it than for a long, long time past.

Christmas will once more be really Merry, so it is with unusual pleasure that we at this time wish every one in this community a full measure of the season's happiness.

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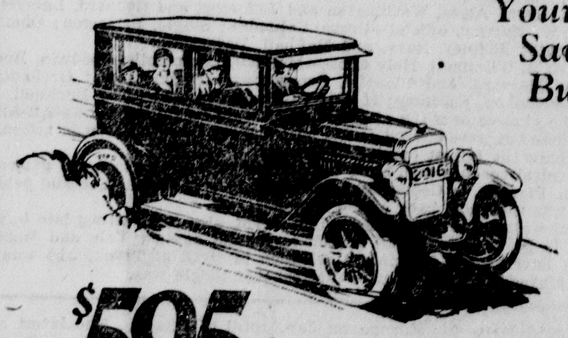
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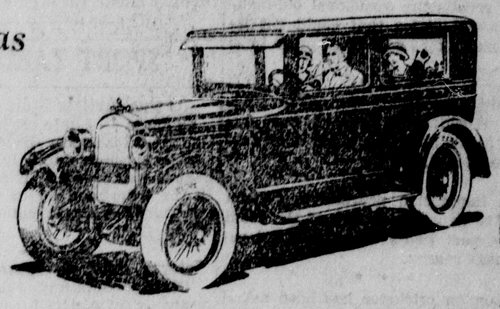
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KAPLAN WINS IN A FIFTEEN ROUND BOUT

KAPLAN GETS DECISION, OTHERS SAY IT WAS DRAW

BOTH FIGHTERS SHOWED BUT LITTLE CLASS IN THE MIX-UP

16,000 FANS AT TEX RICHARD'S GARDEN SEE THE FIGHT

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Dec. 19.—"There are a couple of old men who ought to go back to work and get some of this easy dough," Jimmy Johnston, the boy bandit of Broadway, remarked today. "One of them is old man Kilbane and the other is old man Dundee."

Johnson's opinion reflected that of 16,000 fans who sat in on a terrible 15-round bout in Tex Rickard's garden last night between Kid Kaplan and Babe Herman for the world's featherweight championship. Kaplan received the decision of the two judges and the referee but a draw would have been more apropriate as neither one of the fighters was deserving of any kind of a compliment.

Kaplan became the recognized champion of his class when the New York boxing commission organized a tournament among the contenders to find a successor to Johnny Dundee, resigned.

He was accepted as the best of the lot and perhaps he is still the best man of his weight but he is champion of a terrible class of fighters.

All the class that Kaplan showed as a fighter last night was a heavy scowl on his face and Herman showed less. The champion milled and mauled around through twelve of the fifteen rounds but he was mostly moving forward and it was his aggressiveness, no doubt, that prompted the officials to give him the decision.

Last August they fought for the title in Waterbury, Conn., and the referee called it a draw. With the exception of those who bet on Kaplan almost everyone thought that Herman should have been given the decision and the title.

Herman fought last night as if he had no memory of the previous affair. He was dropped twice when he was caught off balance and he appeared content to let the champion do all the leading and forcing.

Awarding points on activity, Kaplan had 12 of the 15 rounds. He narrowly escaped being knocked out in the 10th and 14th rounds but he covered up and recovered when Herman failed to follow the openings.

It was the second world's championship fight in Rickard's new Garden and it drew a house of $54,000.

Sport Notes

Dwight E. Davis, the new secretary of war, was an international tennis champion in 1889.

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Soccer is becoming the popular sport in Spain and, it is said, will eventually supersede bull fighting.

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F. B. Foster, '29, of Montclair, N. J., has been elected captain of the Dartmouth freshmen football eleven.

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An English couple who met on the golf course are to marry. There goes another beautiful golf friendship.

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Who recalls the occasional old-fashioned world series that could get itself cleaned up and out of print in a week?

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Stanley Coveleskie and Fred Marberry, Washington pitchers, each received $1,000 bonus for their work during the season.

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The impression prevails in Omaha that Art Griggs, manager of the team for the past two seasons, will not return next season.

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A London cricketer has been asked to stand for the British parliament. Do they have world series heroes in that game over there, too?

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Lives of halfbacks all remind us some of us might earn a place if we, too, could leave behind us footprints on the tackler's face.

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Sentiment may have kept Walter Johnson in that disastrous last game, but hanged if there was any sentiment about the Piratical wallop.

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There were two sure winners in the world's series, Barney Dreyfuss and Clark Griffith, whose bank-rolls were increased in a most pleasing manner.

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The dexterity of Mr. Judge of the Washington team in crawling around on his stomach gives rise to an opinion that off the baseball lot Mr. Judge is a pedestrian.

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We are constantly thinking up new names for old things. For example, what a king calls his bodyguard the halfback would describe as interference.

BRAINERD 23, PINE RIVER 7, IN LAST NIGHT'S GAME

SECOND CONFERENCE TILT IN HIGH SCHOOL BASKET-BALL

STRONG FOUR-MAN OFFENSIVE OF THE LOCALS FEATURED

The Brainerd high school team won their second conference game last night, defeating the Pine River district champions at the high school gymnasium by a top-heavy score, 23 to 7. The Pine River quint has several of their last year's championship team, and the strong four-man offensive of the locals carried them through for an easy victory. The score at the half was 16 to 0, Pine River not garnering a single point until the second team was sent in.

Lorenz came up on three different occasions to roll the ball into the hoop. He proved a good man for the running guard position. Whitlock proved a slippery man on the floor, and was the center of the attack during the fray. Marshall and Avery played their usual clever game, and together with Whitlock were a great scoring trio. Tribur, playing back court guard, was a bulwark of defense.

The ball was bounced off the low ceiling a number of times, each time necessitating that the ball be tossed up at center.

The substitutes played a good game the last half, Orth at center, Swanson at forward, and Giles and Gabiou at guard.

In the preliminary game, the Radiolas swamped the Coal-Heavers, 18-6. Bill Heikkinen played the best game of the winners. Peterson refereed this game, while Adams of St. Cloud refereed the high school game.

2 GIRLS' TEAMS IN PRELIMINARY AT THE HIGH

PIRATES TO MEET SENATORS, LINE-UPS ARE GIVEN

STAPLES-RAINBOW CONTEST TO FOLLOW AT 8:30 P. M.

Two girls' teams, the Pirates and Senators, will furnish the preliminary game to the Staples-Rainbow contest at the high school tonight.

The Pirates have as their line-up Trask, center, Turner and Michael, forwards, Koeppel and Reagen, guards. The Senators' line-up includes Beggs, center, Molstad and E. Nolan, forwards, and Reuter and Storm, guards. The game will be played according to modified boys' rules.

The Rainbows will appear for the first time tonight on the home floor in their new green uniforms. The team makes a natty appearance in a bright green, with the name of the team and the trimmings in white.

The line-up of the Rainbows will include Hanson, right forward, Jones, left forward, Ziebell, center, Dieckhaus, right guard, Orth, left guard. Rev. Jack Bollens will referee the contest.

The preliminary game starts at 8 o'clock, with the chief attraction at 8:30 o'clock. The Ladies' Band will furnish music throughout the games.

SPORT TABLOIDS

Cue Artists Split Honors

Chicago — Augie Kieckhefer, and Gus Gopulos again divided their National three-cushion billiard league games yesterday. Kieckhefer won in the afternoon 50 to 44 and Copulos staged a night comeback to win 50 to 41.

Veteran Trainer Answers Last Bell

Chicago—Johnny Johnson, for 20 years trainer of Chicago University Athletes, will be buried Monday afternoon. He died yesterday. Johnson was known over the entire country as one of the best trainers in the business.

All Stars In Game

Bloomington, Ind.—After a scrimmage this afternoon, Coach Bill Ingram and his all star eastern team will depart for the Pacific Coast for a game with a coast all-star eleven on Dec. 26.

Winnipeg Maroons 1, Greyhounds 0

Saulte Ste Marie, Ont.—The Winnipeg Maroons defeated the local Greyhounds, 1 to 0, in the first Central Hockey league game here. Brown, Winnipeg, defense scored the only goal in the first period.

Rockne Issues Statement

South Bend, Ind.—Knute Rockne, coach of the Notre Dame football teams, never had any thought of leaving his college, he declared in a statement issued late yesterday. This statement concludes the controversy started when Columbia university announced Rockne had signed to act as its football coach. Rockne said he would leave for Europe on Jan. 6 for a short vacation. He also declared he would not go to Florida with a football aggregation as reported.

Respect Memory of Hobey Baker

New York—Respecting the memory of Hobey Baker, former Princeton football and hockey star, the reorganized St. Nicholas Hockey club team, will not use number six on its uniforms. Baker was killed in the military service after he had starred with the St. Nicks. His number was "6".

Littell Captains Lehigh

Bethlehem, Pa.—William I. Littell, Stanton, Va., star tackle on the Lehigh varsity was elected captain of the 1926 football team. He was handicapped by injuries all last season.

Adds Buffalo Calves to Herd

Minot, N. D.—Ten buffalo calves have been added to the private herd of C. H. Parker, rancher, making a total of fifteen. The latest addition came from the Scotty Phillips ranch at Fort Pierre, South Dakota.

Fight to a Draw

Fort Dodge, Ia. — "Buddy" McDonald of St. Paul and Joe O'Hara of Fort Dodge fought eight rounds to a draw here last night both contributing much punishing. Clyde Drury of Marshalltown, outpointed Phil Long of Des Moines, in a six round semi-windup.

MORE ABOUT THAT ALL-AMERICAN

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Sports Editor)

New York, Dec. 19.—There are many good arguments to support the contention of some of the smartest students of football that the attempt to pick an All-American team is all wrong because it can't be done with justice for all.

The only real excuse for the attempt to select the eleven best players at the end of the season is that All-American teams have become an institution in football and that the players and the fans want one—either to praise or ridicule it.

It is impossible for any so-called expert to make a personal choice or personal reasons of the eleven best players from the east, west, north and south.

The average season consists of from eight to ten Saturdays and it is a physical impossibility for any one to see more than one game a week and it is likewise impossible for any human with ordinary visionary equipment to see in action all the good teams in the country.

It becomes necessary then for a writer who braves the razzberry by picking an All-American team to rely upon the judgment of coaches and officials to tip him off to the best players they saw in the various sections and then attempt to strike an average on the opinions.

With this purpose in mind, the writer submitted a questionnaire to seventy-five leading coaches and officials before the end of the season and from those returned, the team was picked.

It perhaps will be interesting to read the following opinions of some of the leading coaches. For the sake of brevity, only the line selections will be mentioned in this article and the positions will read from left end to right end:

Knute Rockne, Notre Dame—Wheeler, Minnesota; Weir, Nebraska; Hanson, Minnesota; Gray, Penn State; Goodwin, Georgia Tech; Stiner, Nebraska; Born, Army.

Glenn F. Thistlethwaite, Northwestern—Oosterbaan, Michigan; Edwards, Michigan; Lowry, Northwestern, and Lampe, Chicago.

Gil Dobie, Cornell—Korn, Swarthmore; Wiberg, Columbia; Carey, Cornell; Robinson, Pennsylvania; Diehl, Dartmouth; Weir, Nebraska, and Thayer, Pennsylvania.

Ira E. Rogers, West Virginia—Powell, Davis-Elkins; Davis, West Virginia; Moore, West Virginia Wesleyan; Chase, Pittsburgh, and Oliker, West Virginia.

Dr. J. W. Wilce, Ohio State—Oosterbaan, Michigan; Henderson, Chicago; Shively, Illinois; Brown, Michigan; Hess, Ohio State; Hawkins, Michigan, and Romey, Iowa.

Pete Reynolds, Syracuse—Oosterbaan, Michigan; Weir, Nebraska; Hess, Ohio State; McMillan, Princeton; Sturhahn, Yale; Chase, Pittsburgh, and Hanson, Syracuse.

E. J. O'Brien, official—Tully, Dartmouth; Parker, Dartmouth; McManus, Boston College; Daley, Army; Mahan, West Virginia; Sprague, Army; Baxter, Army.

G. H. McCracken, Lafayette—Tully, Dartmouth; Chase, Pittsburgh; Mahan, West Virginia; McMillan, Princeton; Weir, Nebraska; Parker, Dartmouth; Cunningham, Ohio State.

Dan E. McGugin—Rives, Vanderbilt (left tackle); Kent, Sewanee; McIver, North Carolina; Buckler, Alabama; Holland, Virginia; and Thomas, Washington and Lee.

F. W. Murphy, official—Tully, Dartmouth; Sturhahn, Yale; McMillan, Princeton; Diehl, Dartmouth; Coady, Harvard.

Enoch Bakshaw, Washington—Shipkey, Stanford; Erickson, Washington; Carey, California; Bonamy, Washington; Taylor, Southern California, and Polsen, Stanford.

Cleo A. O'Donnell, Holy Cross—Tully, Dartmouth; Connaughton, Georgetown; Diehl, Dartmouth; Stevenson, Fordham; Bruce, Fordham; Parker, Dartmouth, and Leary, Fordham.

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Prominent coaches and officials in voting for the United Press on the best backfield players of the season showed just as wide a diversity of opinion as the football writers.

The placing of Flournoy, Wyckoff, Nevers, Tesrau, Wilson and Tryon was particularly difficult as there was no good reason why they should be left off the team other than the flimsy excuse that there was no room for them.

Most all of the votes returned included two teams and in one or two cases a third team was mentioned.

The opinion of some of the coaches submitted follows:

Knute Rockne, Notre Dame—Baker, Northwestern; Flannigan, Notre Dame; Wilson, Army, and Enright, Notre Dame. Second team: Almquist, Minnesota; Michalaki, Penn State; Rhodes, Nebraska, and Wyckoff, Georgia Tech.

Gil Dobie, Cornell—Grange, Illinois; Tryon, Colgate; Nevers, Stanford, and Oberlander, Dartmouth. Second team: Friedman, Michigan; Keefer, Brown; Britton, Illinois, and Welch, Pittsburgh. Third team: Cheek, Harvard; Imley, California; McCarthy, Chicago, and Wilson, Washington.

Ira Rodgers, West Virginia—Reese, Washington and Jefferson; Welch, Pittsburgh; Carlin, Washington and Jefferson, and Barnum, West Virginia. Second team: Helbig, Penn State; Harding Pittsburgh; Glenn, West Virginia; Gustafson, Pittsburgh, and Amos, Washington and Jefferson.

Dr. J. W. Wilce, Ohio State—Friedman, Michigan; Grange, Illinois; Karow, Ohio State, and Britton, Illinois.

Robert C. Zuppke, Illinois—Wilson, Washington; Grange, Illinois; Oberlander, Dartmouth; Tryon, Colgate; Nevers, Stanford, and Tesreau, Washington.

Dan E. McGugin, Vanderbilt—Brown, Alabama; Reese, Vanderbilt; Hubert, Alabama; Wyckoff, Georgia Tech. Second team: Lautenschlaeger, Tulane; Edgar Jones, Florida; Barnes, Alabama, and Flournoy, Tulane.

Pete Reynolds, Syracuse—Grange, Illinois; Tryon, Colgate; Oberlander, Dartmouth, and Nevers, Stanford. All-Eastern: Foley, Syracuse; Oberlander, Dartmouth; Tryon, Colgate, and Slagle, Princeton.

George Clark, Kansas—Behm, Ames; Rhodes, Nebraska; Spears, Drake, and Whiteman, Missouri. Second team: Jackson, Missouri; Clerk, Missouri; Metler, Grinnell, and Cochrane, Kansas Aggies.

C. D. Shaughnessy, Tulane—Lautenschlaeger, Tulane; Flournoy, Tulane; Whiteman, Missouri, and Lewis, Northwestern.

E. J. O'Brien, official—McPhail, Dartmouth; Slagle, Princeton; Oberlander, Dartmouth, and Hewitt, Army. Second team: Pease, Columbia; Carr, Syracuse; Cronin, Boston College, and Tryon, Colgate.

Enoch Bagshaw, Washington—Guttorensen, Washington; Wilson, Washington; Drury, Southern California, and Tesreau, Washington. Second team: Kelly, Montana; Imley, California; Nevers, Stanford.

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16,000 FANS AT TEX RICHARD'S GARDEN SEE THE FIGHT

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Dec. 19.—"There are a couple of old men who ought to go back to work and get some of this easy dough," Jimmy Johnston, the boy bandit of Broadway, remarked today. "One of them is old man Kilbane and the other is old man Dundee."

Johnson's opinion reflected that of 16,000 fans who sat in on a terrible 15-round bout in Tex Rickard's garden last night between Kid Kaplan and Babe Herman for the world's featherweight championship. Kaplan received the decision of the two judges and the referee but a draw would have been more apropriate as neither one of the fighters was deserving of any kind of a compliment.

Kaplan became the recognized champion of his class when the New York boxing commission organized a tournament among the contenders to find a successor to Johnny Dundee, resigned.

He was accepted as the best of the lot and perhaps he is still the best man of his weight but he is champion of a terrible class of fighters.

All the class that Kaplan showed as a fighter last night was a heavy scowl on his face and Herman showed less. The champion milled and mauled around through twelve of the fifteen rounds but he was mostly moving forward and it was his aggressiveness, no doubt, that prompted the officials to give him the decision.

Last August they fought for the title in Waterbury, Conn., and the referee called it a draw. With the exception of those who bet on Kaplan almost everyone thought that Herman should have been given the decision and the title.

Herman fought last night as if he had no memory of the previous affair. He was dropped twice when he was caught off balance and he appeared content to let the champion do all the leading and forcing.

Awarding points on activity, Kaplan had 12 of the 15 rounds. He narrowly escaped being knocked out in the 10th and 14th rounds but he covered up and recovered when Herman failed to follow the openings.

It was the second world's championship fight in Rickard's new Garden and it drew a house of $54,000.

Sport Notes

Dwight E. Davis, the new secretary of war, was an international tennis champion in 1889.

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Soccer is becoming the popular sport in Spain and, it is said, will eventually supersede bull fighting.

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F. B. Foster, '29, of Montclair, N. J., has been elected captain of the Dartmouth freshmen football eleven.

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An English couple who met on the golf course are to marry. There goes another beautiful golf friendship.

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Who recalls the occasional old-fashioned world series that could get itself cleaned up and out of print in a week?

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Stanley Coveleskie and Fred Marberry, Washington pitchers, each received $1,000 bonus for their work during the season.

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The impression prevails in Omaha that Art Griggs, manager of the team for the past two seasons, will not return next season.

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A London cricketer has been asked to stand for the British parliament. Do they have world series heroes in that game over there, too?

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Lives of halfbacks all remind us some of us might earn a place if we, too, could leave behind us footprints on the tackler's face.

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Sentiment may have kept Walter Johnson in that disastrous last game, but hanged if there was any sentiment about the Piratical wallop.

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There were two sure winners in the world's series, Barney Dreyfuss and Clark Griffith, whose bank-rolls were increased in a most pleasing manner.

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The dexterity of Mr. Judge of the Washington team in crawling around on his stomach gives rise to an opinion that off the baseball lot Mr. Judge is a pedestrian.

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We are constantly thinking up new names for old things. For example, what a king calls his bodyguard the halfback would describe as interference.

BRAINERD 23, PINE RIVER 7, IN LAST NIGHT'S GAME

SECOND CONFERENCE TILT IN HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

STRONG FOUR-MAN OFFENSIVE OF THE LOCALS FEATURED

The Brainerd high school team won their second conference game last night, defeating the Pine River district champions at the high school gymnasium by a top-heavy score, 23 to 7. The Pine River quint has several of their last year's championship team, and the strong four-man offensive of the locals carried them through for an easy victory. The score at the half was 16 to 0, Pine River not garnering a single point until the second team was sent in.

Lorenz came up on three different occasions to roll the ball into the hoop. He proved a good man for the running guard position. Whitlock proved a slippery man on the floor, and was the center of the attack during the fray. Marshall and Avery played their usual clever game, and together with Whitlock were a great scoring trio. Tribur, playing back court guard, was a bulwark of defense.

The ball was bounced off the low ceiling a number of times, each time necessitating that the ball be tossed up at center.

The substitutes played a good game the last half, Orth at center, Swanson at forward, and Giles and Gabiou at guard.

In the preliminary game, the Radiolas swamped the Coal-Heavers, 18-6. Bill Heikkinen played the best game of the winners. Peterson refereed this game, while Adams of St. Cloud refereed the high school game.

2 GIRLS' TEAMS IN PRELIMINARY AT THE HIGH

PIRATES TO MEET SENATORS, LINE-UPS ARE GIVEN

STAPLES-RAINBOW CONTEST TO FOLLOW AT 8:30 P. M.

Two girls' teams, the Pirates and Senators, will furnish the preliminary game to the Staples-Rainbow contest at the high school tonight.

The Pirates have as their line-up Trask, center, Turner and Michael, forwards, Koeppel and Reagen, guards. The Senators' line-up includes Beggs, center, Molstad and E. Nolan, forwards, and Reuter and Storm, guards. The game will be played according to modified boys' rules.

The Rainbows will appear for the first time tonight on the home floor in their new green uniforms. The team makes a natty appearance in a bright green, with the name of the team and the trimmings in white.

The line-up of the Rainbows will include Hanson, right forward, Jones, left forward, Ziebell, center, Dieckhaus, right guard, Orth, left guard. Rev. Jack Bollens will referee the contest.

The preliminary game starts at 8 o'clock, with the chief attraction at 8:30 o'clock. The Ladies' Band will furnish music throughout the games.

SPORT TABLOIDS

Cue Artists Split Honors

Chicago — Augie Kieckhefer, and Gus Gopulos again divided their National three-cushion billiard league games yesterday. Kieckhefer won in the afternoon 50 to 44 and Copulos staged a night comeback to win 50 to 41.

Veteran Trainer Answers Last Bell

Chicago—Johnny Johnson, for 20 years trainer of Chicago University Athletes, will be buried Monday afternoon. He died yesterday. Johnson was known over the entire country as one of the best trainers in the business.

All Stars In Game

Bloomington, Ind.—After a scrimmage this afternoon, Coach Bill Ingram and his all star eastern team will depart for the Pacific Coast for a game with a coast all-star eleven on Dec. 26.

Winnipeg Maroons 1, Greyhounds 0

Saulte Ste Marie, Ont.—The Winnipeg Maroons defeated the local Greyhounds, 1 to 0, in the first Central Hockey league game here. Brown, Winnipeg, defense scored the only goal in the first period.

Rockne Issues Statement

South Bend, Ind.—Knute Rockne, coach of the Notre Dame football teams, never had any thought of leaving his college, he declared in a statement issued late yesterday. This statement concludes the controversy started when Columbia university announced Rockne had signed to act as its football coach. Rockne said he would leave for Europe on Jan. 6 for a short vacation. He also declared he would not go to Florida with a football aggregation as reported.

Respect Memory of Hobey Baker

New York—Respecting the memory of Hobey Baker, former Princeton football and hockey star, the reorganized St. Nicholas Hockey club team, will not use number six on its uniforms. Baker was killed in the military service after he had starred with the St. Nicks. His number was "6".

Littell Captains Lehigh

Bethlehem, Pa.—William I. Littell, Stanton, Va., star tackle on the Lehigh varsity was elected captain of the 1926 football team. He was handicapped by injuries all last season.

Adds Buffalo Calves to Herd

Minot, N. D.—Ten buffalo calves have been added to the private herd of C. H. Parker, rancher, making a total of fifteen. The latest addition came from the Scotty Phillips ranch at Fort Pierre, South Dakota.

Fight to a Draw

Fort Dodge, Ia. — "Buddy" McDonald of St. Paul and Joe O'Hara of Fort Dodge fought eight rounds to a draw here last night both contributing much punishing. Clyde Drury of Marshalltown, outpointed Phil Long of Des Moines, in a six round semi-windup.

MORE ABOUT THAT ALL-AMERICAN

By HENRY L. FARRELL
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New York, Dec. 19.—There are many good arguments to support the contention of some of the smartest students of football that the attempt to pick an All-American team is all wrong because it can't be done with justice for all.

The only real excuse for the attempt to select the eleven best players at the end of the season is that All-American teams have become an institution in football and that the players and the fans want one—either to praise or ridicule it.

It is impossible for any so-called expert to make a personal choice or personal reasons of the eleven best players from the east, west, north and south.

The average season consists of from eight to ten Saturdays and it is a physical impossibility for any one to see more than one game a week and it is likewise impossible for any human with ordinary visionary equipment to see in action all the good teams in the country.

It becomes necessary then for a writer who braves the razzberry by picking an All-American team to rely upon the judgment of coaches and officials to tip him off to the best players they saw in the various sections and then attempt to strike an average on the opinions.

With this purpose in mind, the writer submitted a questionnaire to seventy-five leading coaches and officials before the end of the season and from those returned, the team was picked.

It perhaps will be interesting to read the following opinions of some of the leading coaches. For the sake of brevity, only the line selections will be mentioned in this article and the positions will read from left end to right end:

Knute Rockne, Notre Dame—Wheeler, Minnesota; Weir, Nebraska; Hanson, Minnesota; Gray, Penn State; Goodwin, Georgia Tech; Stiner, Nebraska; Born, Army.

Glenn F. Thistlethwaite, Northwestern—Oosterbaan, Michigan; Edwards, Michigan; Lowry, Northwestern, and Lampe, Chicago.

Gil Dobie, Cornell—Korn, Swarthmore; Wiberg, Columbia; Carey, Cornell; Robinson, Pennsylvania; Diehl, Dartmouth; Weir, Nebraska, and Thayer, Pennsylvania.

Ira E. Rogers, West Virginia—Powell, Davis-Elkins; Davis, West Virginia; Moore, West Virginia Wesleyan; Chase, Pittsburgh, and Oliker, West Virginia.

Dr. J. W. Wilce, Ohio State—Oosterbaan, Michigan; Henderson, Chicago; Shively, Illinois; Brown, Michigan; Hess, Ohio State; Hawkins, Michigan, and Romey, Iowa.

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The placing of Flournoy, Wyckoff, Nevers, Tesrau, Wilson and Tryon was particularly difficult as there was no good reason why they should be left off the team other than the flimsy excuse that there was no room for them.

Most all of the votes returned included two teams and in one or two cases a third team was mentioned.

The opinion of some of the coaches submitted follows:

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Ira Rodgers, West Virginia—Reese, Washington and Jefferson; Welch, Pittsburgh; Carlin, Washington and Jefferson, and Barnum, West Virginia. Second team: Helbig, Penn State; Harding Pittsburgh; Glenn, West Virginia; Gustafson, Pittsburgh, and Amos, Washington and Jefferson.

Dr. J. W. Wilce, Ohio State—Friedman, Michigan; Grange, Illinois; Karow, Ohio State, and Britton, Illinois.

Robert C. Zuppke, Illinois—Wilson, Washington; Grange, Illinois; Oberlander, Dartmouth; Tryon, Colgate; Nevers, Stanford, and Tesreau, Washington.

Dan E. McGugin, Vanderbilt—Brown, Alabama; Reese, Vanderbilt; Hubert, Alabama; Wyckoff, Georgia Tech. Second team: Lautenschlaeger, Tulane; Edgar Jones, Florida; Barnes, Alabama, and Flournoy, Tulane.

Pete Reynolds, Syracuse—Grange, Illinois; Tryon, Colgate; Oberlander, Dartmouth, and Nevers, Stanford. All-Eastern: Foley, Syracuse; Oberlander, Dartmouth; Tryon, Colgate, and Slagle, Princeton.

George Clark, Kansas—Behm, Ames; Rhodes, Nebraska; Spears, Drake, and Whiteman, Missouri. Second team: Jackson, Missouri; Clerk, Missouri; Metler, Grinnell, and Cochrane, Kansas Aggies.

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Leaves Husband And 5 Children to Mourn Her Demise

Mrs. R. L. Norcross, of Bescemar, Minn., died on Friday morning at Eitel hospital in Mineapolis, death being due to heart disease. The remains were brought to Brainerd last night by her sister, Mrs. W. F. Dougherty.

Bessie Elizabeth Anderson was born in Brainerd on April 18th, 1884, her parents being John E. and Matilda Anderson. She was married in Brainerd in August, 1904, to R. L. Norcross, and they have made their home at Bescemar. To them were born five children, and all of them with the husband are left to mourn her loss. Four are girls, Cecile, Marion, Marjorie, and Katherine, and one boy, Lloyd.

Besides her husband and children, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. John E. Anderson, who has been living at their home, two sisters, Mrs. Clinton Ansbaugh, of White Fish, Mont., and Mrs. W. F. Dougherty, of Brainerd, and one brother, John E. Anderson, of Quidell, Ontario.

The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon from the People's Congregational church, Rev. N. P. Olmsted officiating, with interment in Evergreen cemetery.

MRS. PEACOCK, 81, DIES AT RESIDENCE OF SON

Mrs. Fannie B. Peacock, 81, widow of the late Robert Peacock of Chicago, died Friday at the home of her son, C. D. Peacock, 609 Spear ave. Mrs. Peacock came to Duluth following the death of her husband five years ago.

Her body was taken to Chicago Friday night and was accompanied by her son and a daughter, Miss Lizzie S. Peacock, also of Duluth. Other survivors are three son,s D. C., Port Angeles, Wash., H. E. and T. K., both of Chicago; three daughters, Mrs. B. H. Vreeland of San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. James E. Finnegan of Chicago, and Miss Emma K. of Suring, Wis., and a brother, J. K. Southee of Kansas City, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 4 p. m. Monday at Oakwood chapel, Chicago, with burial at the Oakwood cemertery.—Duluth News Tribune.

2 DEATHS RECORDED

John A. Peterson, Well Known in Brainerd, Passed Away in Deerwood

John A. Peterson, of Deerwood, well known to many people in Brainerd, died Friday, Dec. 11, at the home of Mrs. C. M. Peterson, Hamlet Lake, following an illness of two weeks with heart trouble. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon at the home, conducted by Rev. A. V. Thoren of the Deerwood Lutheran church. Mr. Peterson was born in Sweden, January 12, 1850 and came to the United States in 1875. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ida Monson, of Stromsburg, Nebraska and Mrs. George Henry, of Kansas, and by two brothers, in Sweden. Another brother, C. M. Peterson, preceded him in death twelve years ago.

Mrs. Peter Olson Died

Mrs. Peter Olson of East Bay Lake died Thursday morning at 1 o'clock. Her death was due to a paralytic stroke which she suffered the Sunday before. She is survived by her husband, a son, Nels Olson, and a daughter, Miss Gina Olson.—The Deerwood Enterprise.

CALL FOR CLOTHING

Social Welfare Committee of Musical Club Wishes to Aid 2 Families

The social welfare committee of the Musical club is issuing a call for clothing for a number of children of two families. The children are of the following ages: two boys of 13 years, one girl of 11, two girls of 7, one girl of 4, and one boy of 2 years.

The committee desires that anyone having serviceable clothing which they will give for the purpose will send it to the county superintendent's office at the court house by the first of next week, in order that it may be looked over, mended, and cleaned if necessary.

Those who have baskets of food for Christmas giving are asked to bring them also, and the committee will undertake to have them placed in homes where they will bring a great deal of Christmas cheer. Further particulars may be had by calling the office, 17-W.

Bronner-Henke

Adriaan Bronner Jr., and Miss Mabel Louise Henke, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Henke of Nisswa, were joined in marriage at Brainerd Dec. 18. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Walter J. Smith.

They were attended by Miss Nellie Bronner, a sister of the groom and Ruben Henke, a brother of the bride. The bride was beautifully attired and carried a large bouquet of pink roses. Both bride and groom are residents of Nisswa and are exceptionally fine young people. Their host of friends wish them every success and happiness as they journey through life.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT GIVEN

At Special Service of St. Paul's Episcopal Church This Sunday Afternoon

BY THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Will Present Rosamond Kimball's Pageant, "The Nativity"

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Funeral services will be held at 4 p. m. Monday at Oakwood chapel, Chicago, with burial at the Oakwood cemertery.—Duluth News Tribune.

2 DEATHS RECORDED

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Bronner-Henke

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The measure was adopted without a change from the ways and means committee's plan by a vote of 390 to 25.

Hearings on the bill before the senate finance committee are planned for brevity. Opening after the holidays end January 4, only a few witnesses will be heard and no attempt will be made to cover all the ground covered by the ways and means committee in its painstaking survey.

President Coolidge is especially anxious that the bill be placed in his hands early in March so that he can sign it by March 15, making the extensive reductions applicable on this year's income.

MUFFS TO KEEP FLAPPERS' KNEES WARM PROMISE TO BE SEASON'S FASHION RAGE



Score another for the flapper. Evidently she is not as thoughtless as some of her critics would try to make us believe. If fashion designers will insist upon making her wear short skirts, she must protect herself against wintry blasts. Hence knee muffs. The ones shown above are of mink to match the wearer's handsome mink coat.

Tunes In on Bad Sinuses

A Danish physician, Doctor Skovman, tests for suspected sinus infection with a tuning fork; he stands the instrument before the point to be tested, and judges from the resonance whether the cavity contains fluid or is empty.

Was Used to 'Em

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Easily Wed in Siberia

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LIVESTOCK, PRODUCE GRAIN AND BONDS

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

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CATTLE—Receipts, 500. Market: Compared to a week ago, fat steer trade except common kinds in doldrums; early declines 25@40c lower; heavies in excessive supply, off most; fat steers above $12 in specialty class; early top heavies $14; numerous loads at best time $12.50@13.75; heavies moved favorable speed at $13; most yearlings $14; fat she stock 25@40c lower; canners 10@15c lower; bulls steady to 25c lower; vealers $1.25@1.50 lower; stockers and feeders 25c lower.

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SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

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CALVES—Receipts, 200. Market: Compared to a week ago $1@1.50 lower.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,700. Market: Steady to 25c lower. Top price $10.75. Bulk prices follow: Butcher and bacon hogs, $10.75; packing sows, $8.50; pigs, $12.25.

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CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER—Creamery: Extras, 45¼c; standards, 44c. Dairy: Firsts, 43½@44c; seconds, 41½@42½c.

EGGS—Ordinaries, 34@36c; firsts, 38@40c.

CHEESE—Twins, 23¾c; Young Americas, 25¼c.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls, 17@24c; ducks, 22@25c; geese, 18½c; turkeys, 30@40c; roosters, 16c.

POTATOES—Receipts 199 cars. Wisconsin Round Whites, $3.50@3.75; Idaho Russets, $3.60@3.75.

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And no action or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt of said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said mortgage contained, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the property described in said mortgage and located in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to-wit:

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A few pure bred cockerels for sale. Call 580-W. 4733-164tf

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Tunes In on Bad Sinuses

A Danish physician, Doctor Skovman, tests for suspected sinus infection with a tuning fork; he stands the instrument before the point to be tested, and judges from the resonance whether the cavity contains fluid or is empty.

Was Used to 'Em

An aged Scot on his deathbed said to the clergyman: "And what for should I be afraid to meet the King of Terrors? Hae I no lived wi the queen o' them for the last forty years?"—Boston Transcript.

Easily Wed in Siberia

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SOUTH ST. PAUL LIVESTOCK

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CHEESE—Twins, 23¾c; Young Americas, 25¼c.

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Default having occurred in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 1st day of November, A. D. 1920, made, executed and delivered by H. L. Iverson and Anna Iverson, his wife, of the County of Hennepin, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors, to William Musolf, of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, as mortgagee and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Crow Wing County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of November, A. D. 1920, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 513; which said mortgage was thereafter assigned by said William Musolf to Capital Trust & Savings Bank, a Minnesota corporation, of St. Paul, Ramsey County, Minnesota, by an instrument in writing dated the 23rd day of April, A. D. 1921, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said Crow Wing County on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1921, at 4 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book 24 of Mortgages on page 157;

That, Whereas, the default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the principal and interest due November 1st, 1925, on the certain promissory note for which said mortgage was given as security, and there is due at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand One Hundred Ninety and 60-100 Dollars ($3190.60).

And no action or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt of said mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said mortgage contained, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the property described in said mortgage and located in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast quarter (SE¼) of Section Number Eight, (8) of Township Number One Hundred Thirty-six, (136) North, of Range Number Twenty-seven, (27) also Lot Number Eight, (8) of Section Number Nine (9) Township Number One Hundred Thirty-six, (136) North of Range Twenty-seven (27) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Crow Wing County, Minnesota, containing Two Hundred Seven and Eight One Hundredths Acres more or less according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, together with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, at Public Auction to be made by the Sheriff of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, at the main front door entrance of the Court House in the City of Brainerd, County of Crow Wing, and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1926, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., to satisfy the amount which will be due under said mortgage on the date of sale, together with costs and disbursements of sale, including statutory attorney's fees, provided for in said mortgage to be paid in case of foreclosure thereof, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale.

Dated November 21st, 1925.

Capital Trust & Savings Bank,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

E. O. WERGEDAHL,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
100 Capital Bank Building,
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